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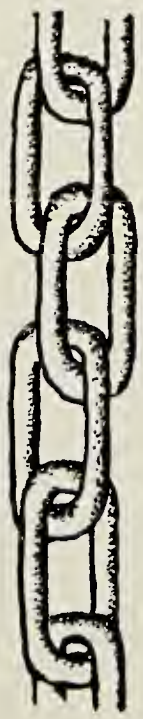

PRESENTS

OUR FIRST YEAR AT BLUESTONE

DEDICATED TO ALL THE PEOPLE
WHO MADE THIS SCHOOL POSSIBLE

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ADMINISTRATION

Teachers pass, we smile, sometimes wondering if that enigmatic person will give an unbearable test. We really don't feel that way because we soon are exceedingly glad you are here. We know if it were not for teachers we might give up studying completely and go into life less prepared. Faculty, deep in our hearts we understand where you stand and we really don't think of you as being on the other side of the fence, though we may act that way sometimes.

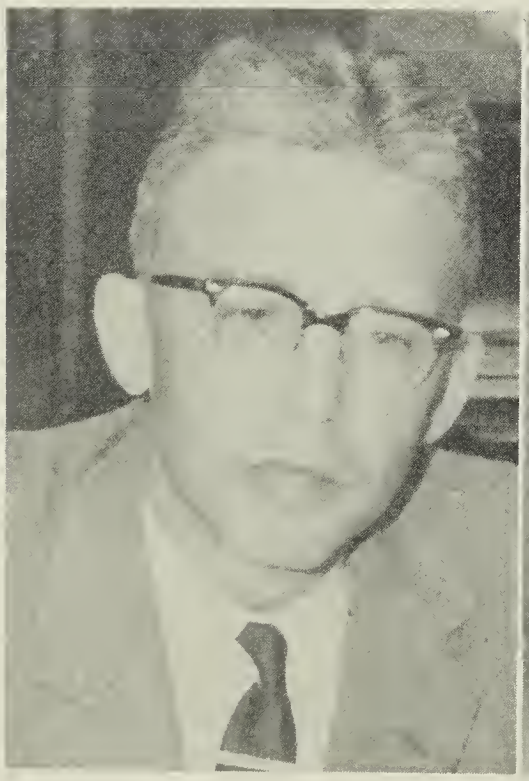
OUR PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Class of nineteen hundred fifty-six--the first class to graduate from Bluestone High School! You manifest the realization of many dreams. You are the vanguard on a new front in the ceaseless battle for enlightenment. Vow to preserve here the torch of knowledge for the classes which are to follow.

SCHOOL BOARD

Seated: Mrs. Virginia Jeffreys, Clerk; Mr. W. S. Hundley, Chairman; Mr. R. D. Cook. Standing, left to right: Mr. A. B. Haga, Superintendent; Mr. R. P. Gordon; Mr. J. E. Smith; Mr. W. H. Seawell, Director of Instruction; Mr. J. A. Armistead, Jr.; Mr. H. C. Bobbitt; Mr. P. N. Winn; Not pictured: Mr. W. A. Trotter

COUNTY ADMINISTRATION



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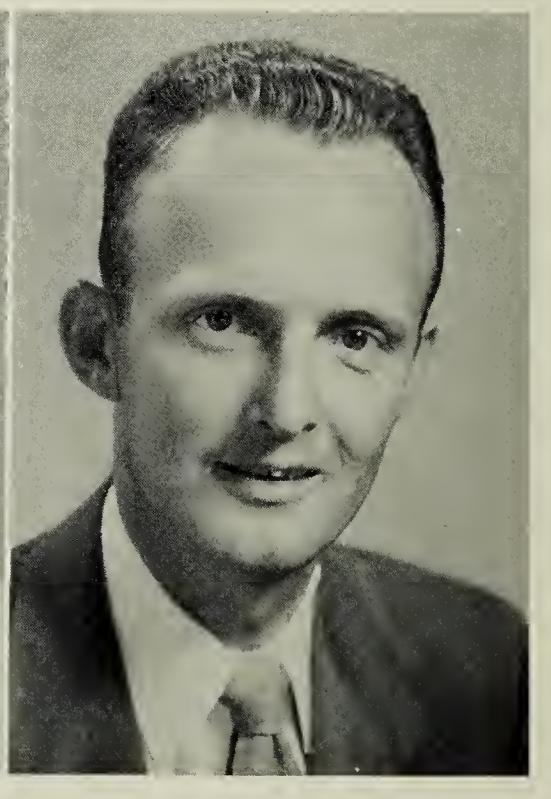
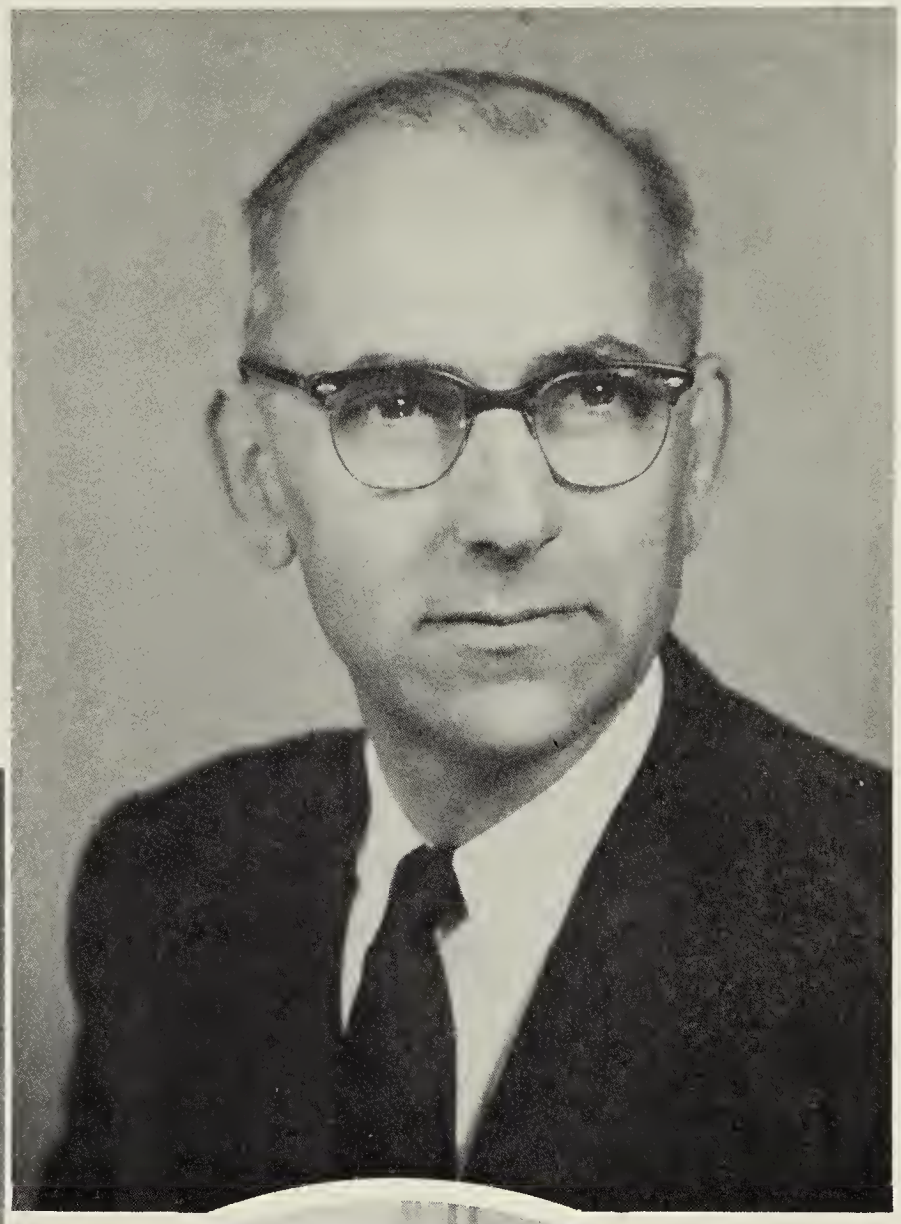
Division Superintendent

Mr. W. H. Seawell
Director of Instruction



Mr. R. E. Butt
General Supervisor



Mr. Frank Chuchek
Principal

Mr. Berman Scott
Assistant Principal

Mr. Chuchek, Principal and
Mrs. Harris, Secretary

Mrs. Lois Berry
Librarian

Mrs. Laura Bragg
English - Spanish
Laura W. Bragg

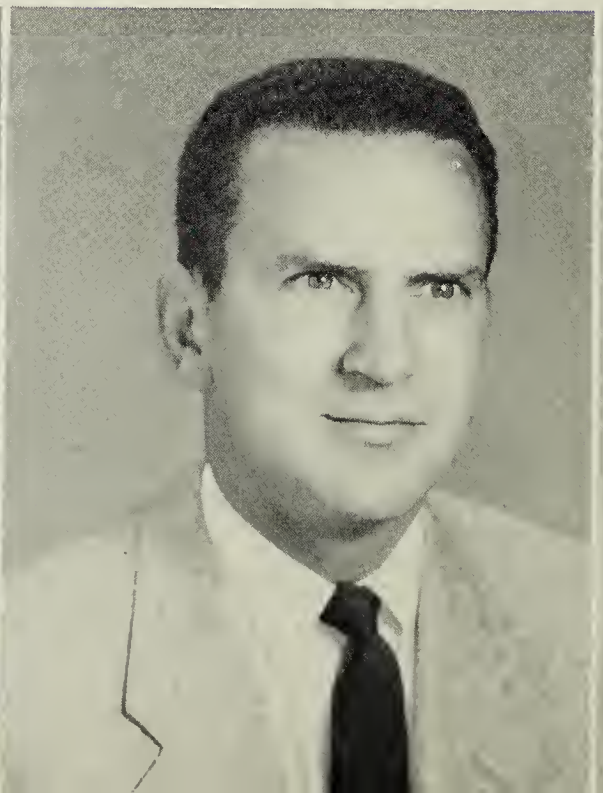
Mrs. Bolling Carter
U.S. History - Guidance

OUR

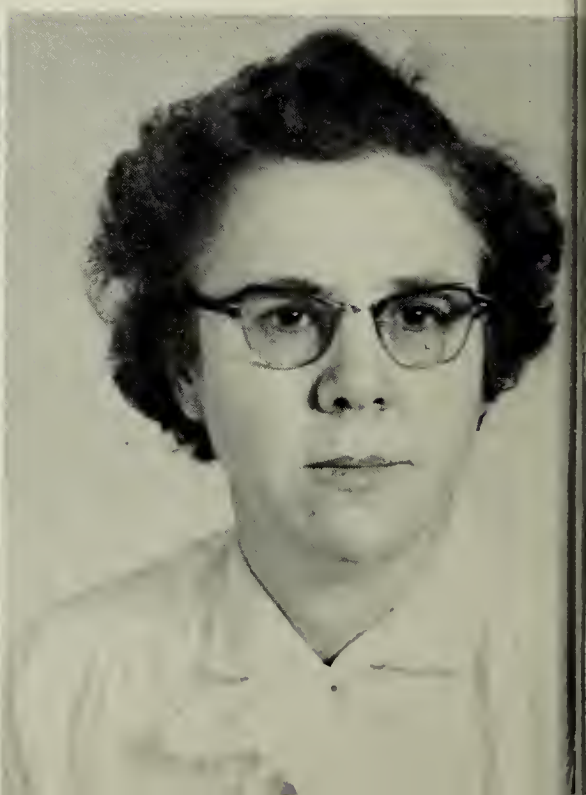
THE ONES WHO HAVE

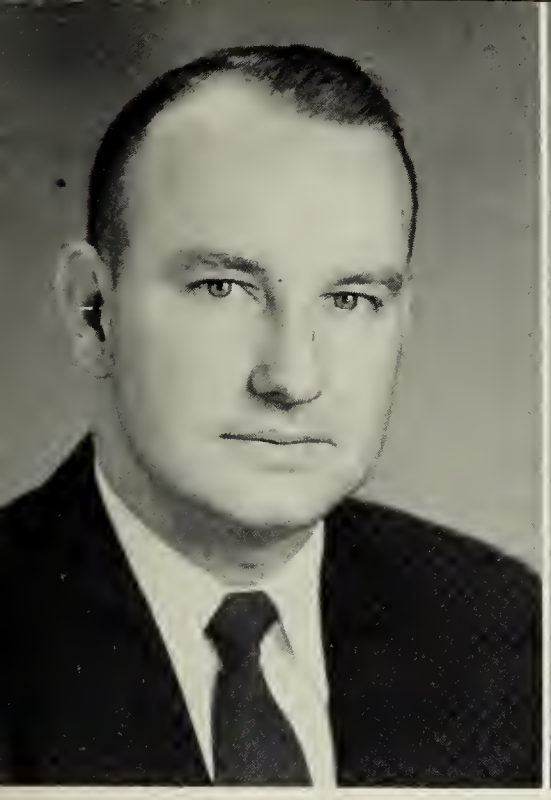
Miss Mary Copley
Home Ec. - English

Mr. Bland Crowder
Science - Civics - Phys. Ed.



Miss Frances Fitzgerald
Mathematics





Mr. Richard Carter
Industrial Arts
Vocational Agriculture

Mrs. Martha Chappell
Mathematics - Geometry

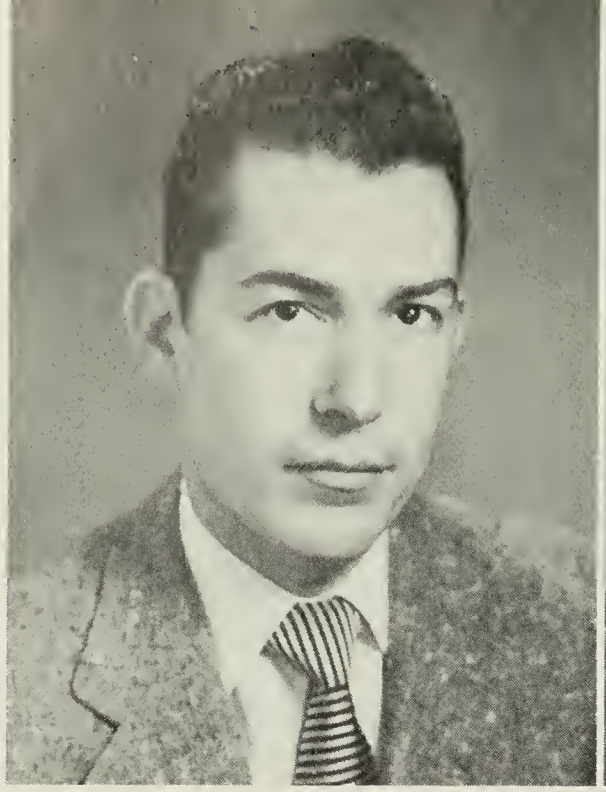
Mrs. Hilda Collins
English

FACULTY GUIDED AND INSPIRED US

Miss Mary Garnett
Home Economics

Mr. G. B. Harris
Band - Music - Chorus

Miss Mary Haskins
Physical Education



Mr. Harvey Jeffreys
Biology - Chemistry - Dramatics

Miss Elva Kibler
United States History - Government

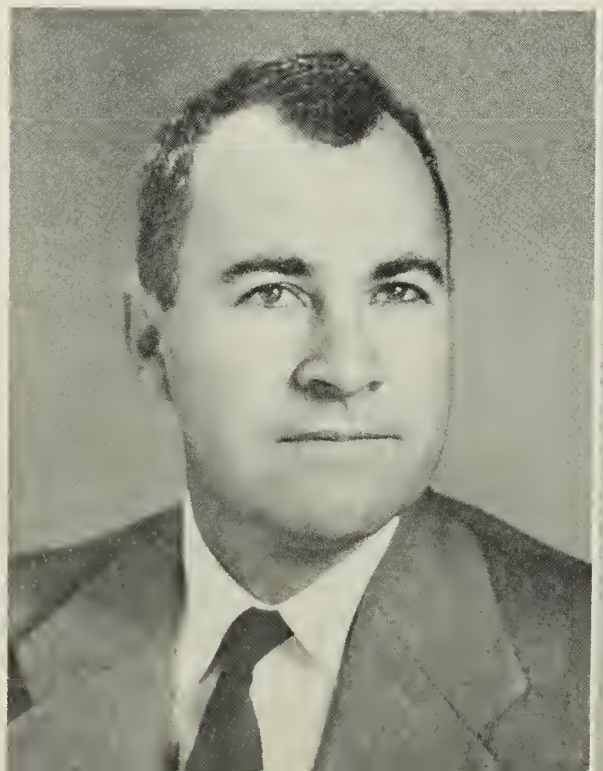
Mr. Carl Klocker
Physical Education

Mrs. Harriette Overstreet
Typing - General Business
Bookkeeping

OUR

THROUGH THIS FIRST

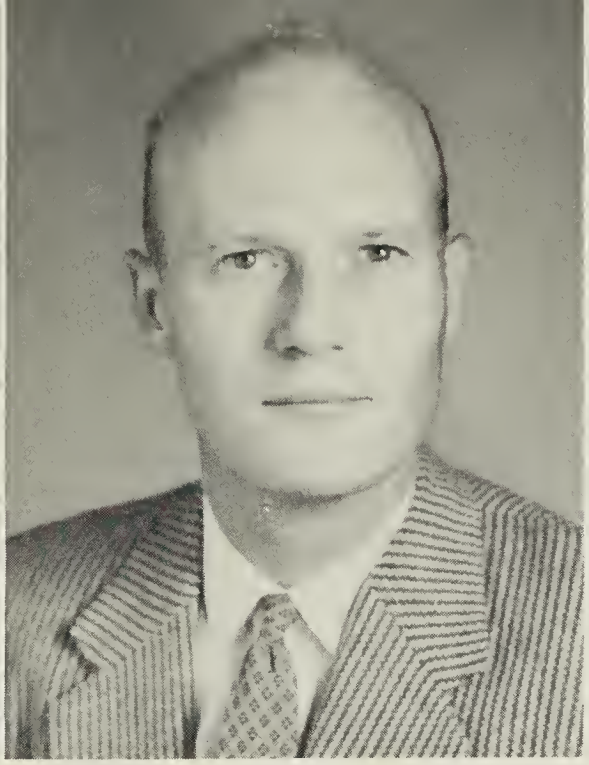
Mr. Donald Propst
Agriculture - Industrial Arts



Mrs. Katherine Ragsdale
Science - Biology

Mrs. Frances Roland
Art - Mechanical Drawing

Mrs. Nancy Klocker
History - Physical Education



Mr. Alfred LeGrand
Vocational Agriculture

Miss Jeanne Nostrandt
Distributive Education

FACULTY

Mrs. Bernice Owen
Latin - English

YEAR OF CONSOLIDATION

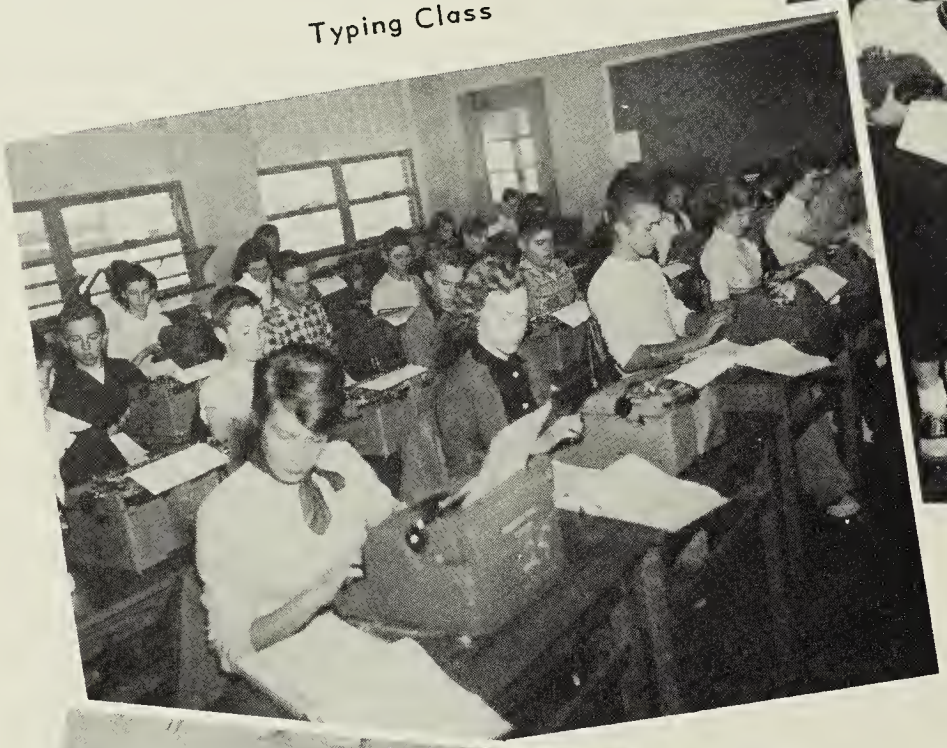
Mr. Berman Scott
Shorthand - Office Practice

Mrs. Ida Sorrell
General Business - Typing

Mrs. Lorene Ward
English

Changing Classes

Typing Class



TRADITION

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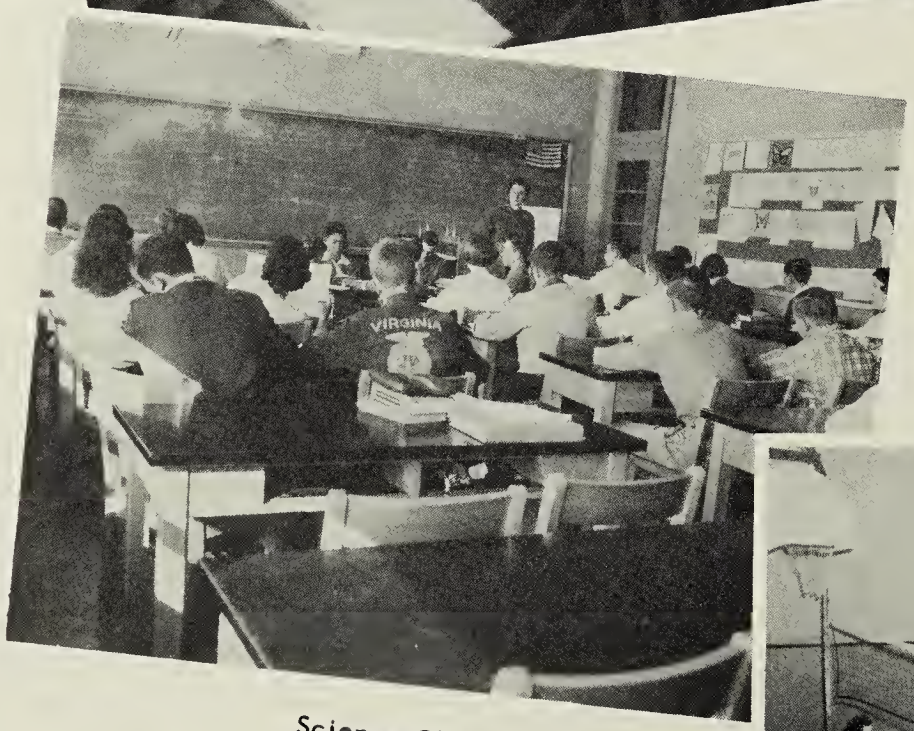


Science Class

Gym

Library

Band

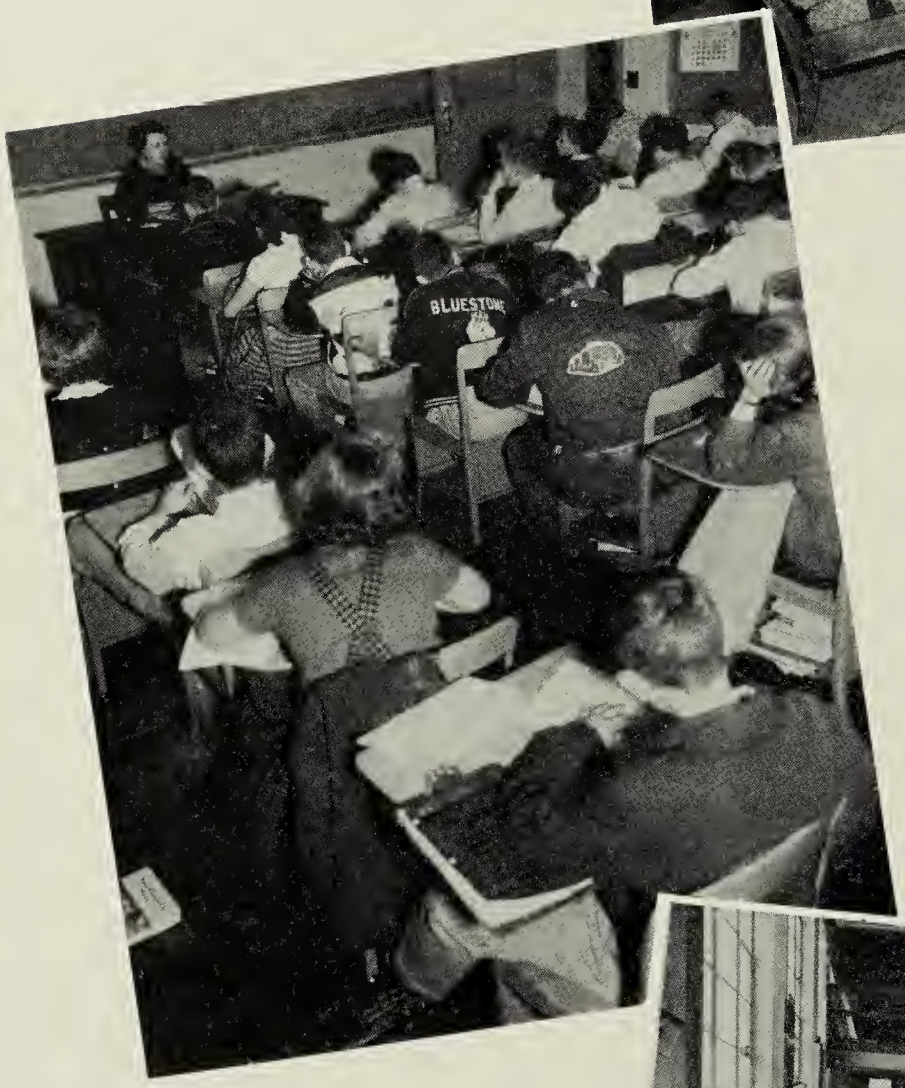
IS BORN

EXPERIENCES

Cafeteria

Home Economics

Eighth Grade History Class



KNOWLEDGE AND

Shop

Art Department
Mechanical Drawing

Buses ready to take
students home

SKILLS ACQUIRED

Industrial Arts

Distributive Education

CLASSES

Bobby Wilkerson was elected President of the Student Council Association by the student body. Other officers of our representative school government are Vice-President, Tommy Rutledge; Secretary, Mary Dorcas Fitz; Treasurer, Bill Burnett; Reporter, Ann Shirley Johnson; and Sponsor, Mrs. Garland Owen.

The Senior Class is represented by: Marguerite Bowen, William Davis, and Patricia Yancey; Juniors by Carol Spaulding, Inez Averett, and Gary Bevell; Sophomores, Charlotte Wyne, Helen Rose Hobgood, Marshall Harris, Fred Leach, and Bobby Johnson. Jean Faucette represents the Freshmen.

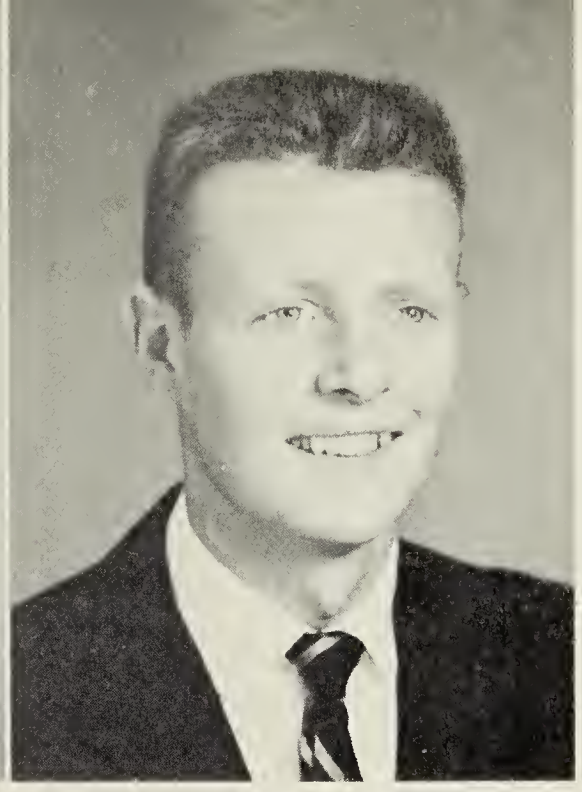
SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

President . . . . . Tommy Rutledge
Vice-President. . . . . Eph Crews
Secretary . . . . . Bill Goode
Treasurer . . . . . Emory Waldrep
Reporter. . . . . Sarah Clark

Miss Elva Kibler, Sponsor

ELSIE IRENE ALLGOOD
"Elsie"
.H.A. 2,3,4; Choral 3; 4-H 1,2,3; Bosketball 1,4, Co-Captain; Soft-oll 1,2,3,4.

LONNIE CHAMBERS ALLGOOD, JR.
"Lonnie"
4-H 1,2,3,4; Baseboll 3.



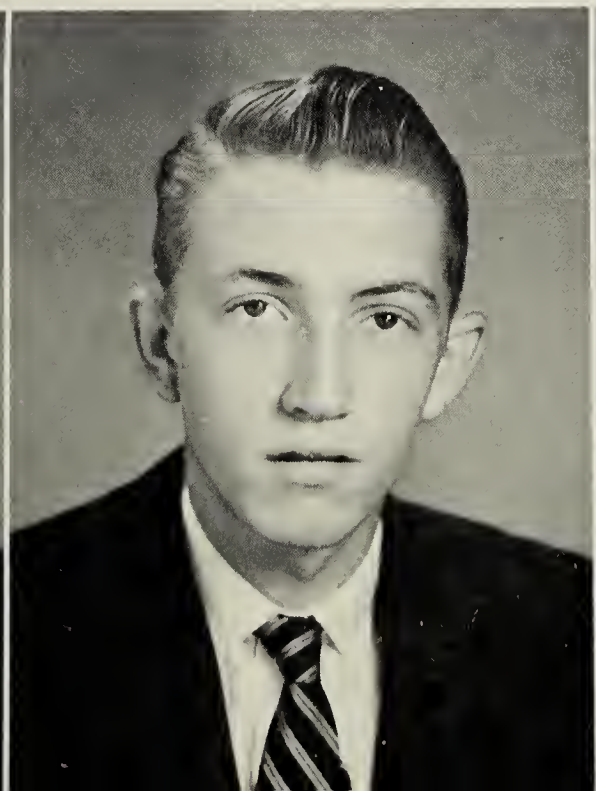
CECIL GREY ANDREWS
"Red"
Chorol 1,2; Monogram 1,2,3,4; Lotin 1; Algebra 3; Footboll 2,3,4; Baseboll 2,3; Bosketball 2,3; SCA 1; Soph. Class Sec.; Jr. Class Sec.; May Day 1,2,3; Geometry 4.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1956

SHIRLEY RAE ANDREWS
"Shirley"
Beto 2,3,4, Rpt.; Tri-Hi-Y 1,2; F.H.A. 3; Poper Staff 3,4, Bus. Mgr.; Dramotics 1,2; Choral 1,2,3; Library 2,3; Monogrom 3,4; Lotin 1,2; Algebra 3; Cheer Leader 3,4; Senior Ploy; Delegote to Girl's Stote 3; Moy Day Court 4; Geometry 4.

ROBERT GRANDON AVERETTE
"Grondon"
Monogrom 1,2,3,4; D.E. 3; Baseball 1,2,3; Bosketball 3,4, Co-Coptoin.

WILLIAM SPOTSWOOD BEVELL, JR.
"Son"
4-H 1,2,3,4; Librory 1.



Best of luck to a swell guy! Love ya! "Suzie"

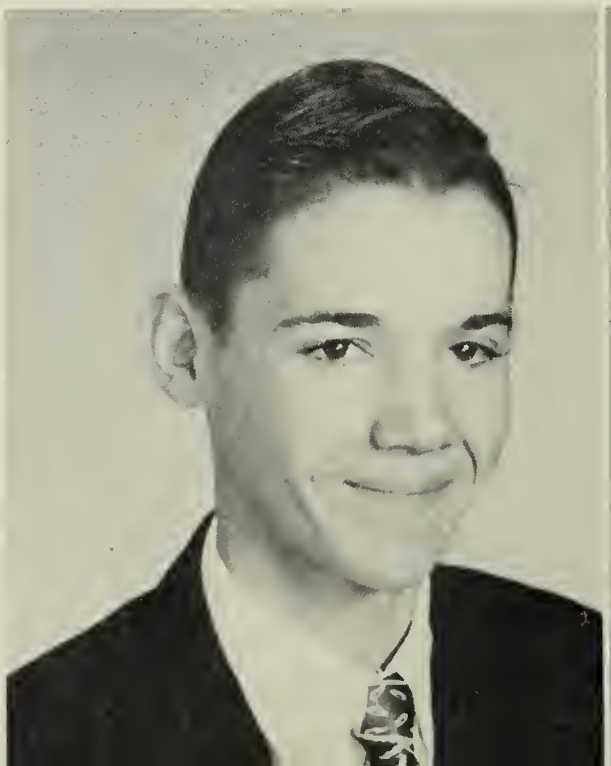
BETTY SUE BOLLINGER
"Suzie"
F.H.A. 1; Choral 2,3,4, Pres.; 4-H 3,4; Library 2,3; Latin 3,4; Spanish 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Band.

MARGURITE CURTIS BOWEN
"Dimp"
Beta 2,3,4; Treas.; Choral 2,3,4; Softball 2,3,4; S.C.A. 4; Jr. Class Sec.

MARGARET ELLEN BOWERS
"Margaret"
Dramatics 1; Choral 1; 4-H 1; Lati 1.

SENIORS

WILLIAM TAYLOR CANTRELL
"Bill"
4-H 1,2,3; Library 1; Geometry 4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Fresh. Class Pres.; Soph. Class Vice-Pres.; Jr. Class Vice-Pres.



WILEY THOMAS CARD
"Wiley"
D.E. 3,4.

SENIORS

BARBARA ANN CARTER
"Barbaro"
eto 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2,3,4, Pres. st.; Paper Staff 2,3,4; Choral 3; neer Leader 2,3; Basketboll 1, -Captain 4; Softball 1,2,3; SCA 3; ph. Class Treas.; Delegote to rls Stote; May Court 1.

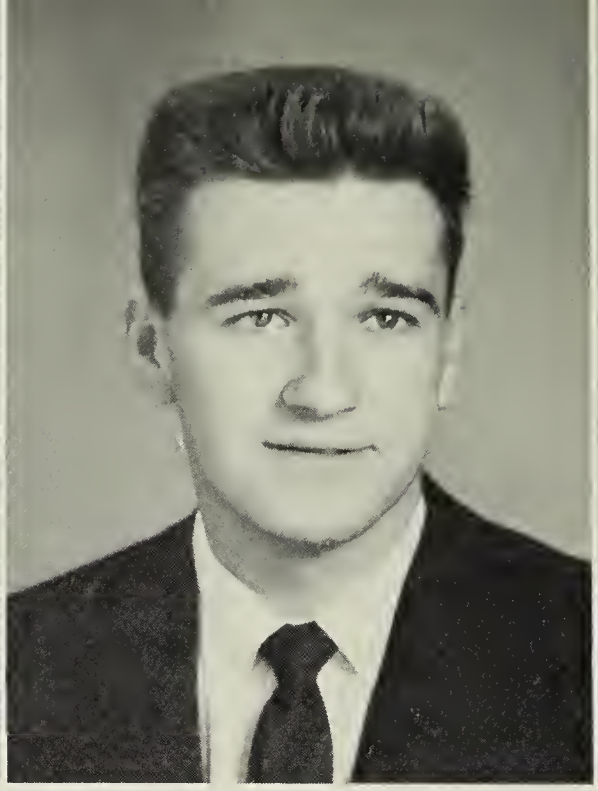
LAURA JEROLENE CARTER
"Jerry"
F.H.A. 1,2; Annuol Stoff 4; Dramotics 3; Choral 1,2; Librory 4; Football Festivol 4.

WILLIAM ALLAN CARTER
"Allan"
H 1,2; Monogram 1,2,3; Art 4; gebra 2; Lunch Patrol 2,3; Foot- l 1,2,4; Baseball 1,3; Bosket- l 3; Geometry 4; Delegate to ys Stote; Projectors 1,2; Spanish .

JOHN CALVIN CHAPMAN
"J. C."
Choral 1,2,3; Monogram 1,2,3,4; Algebro 3; Footboll 1,2,3,4; Baseboll 1,2,3,4; Bosketboll 3,4; May Court 4; Geometry 4.

JULIA ANNETTE CHILDRESS
"Legs"
F.H.A. 1,2,4; Choral 1,2,3,4; D.E. 3,4, Vice-Pres.; Lunch Patrol 3.

SARAH CLARK
"Sarah"
Beta 2,3,4, Pres. 3; Annual Staff 3,4; Paper Staff 3,4, Asst. Ed. 3; Dramatics 3; Charal 2,3,4; Lunch Patral 3; Safety Patrol 2,3; Softball 1,2,3,4; Captain 3; S.C.A. 3; Junior Class V. Pres.; Senior Class Rep.; May Caurt 3; S.I.P.A. 2; State S.C.A. Canvention 3.



JAMES RAYMOND COLEY
"Jim"
Manogram 2,3; D. E. 2; Faotball 4; Baseball 4; Basketball 1.

MARJORIE LOUISE COLEY
"Pig"
Dramatics 3; Choral 1,2,3; Librar 2; D.E. 4; Latin 2,3; Algebra 3 Tri-Hi-Y 2,3, Treas. 3.

SENIORS

GLORIA ANNE COLLIE
"Gaa"
Beta 2,3,4, Rep. 3; Charal 1,2; 4-H 1; Library 1,2; Latin 1,2; Prajectars 3; Tri-Hi-Y 2; F.H.A. 2,3,4, Rep. 3.

Best of Everything to you always, Love, Gloria

ANNIE MAE COLLINS
"Flea"
Charal 1,2; 4-H 1,2,3; Library 1 Lunch Patrol 1,2,3.

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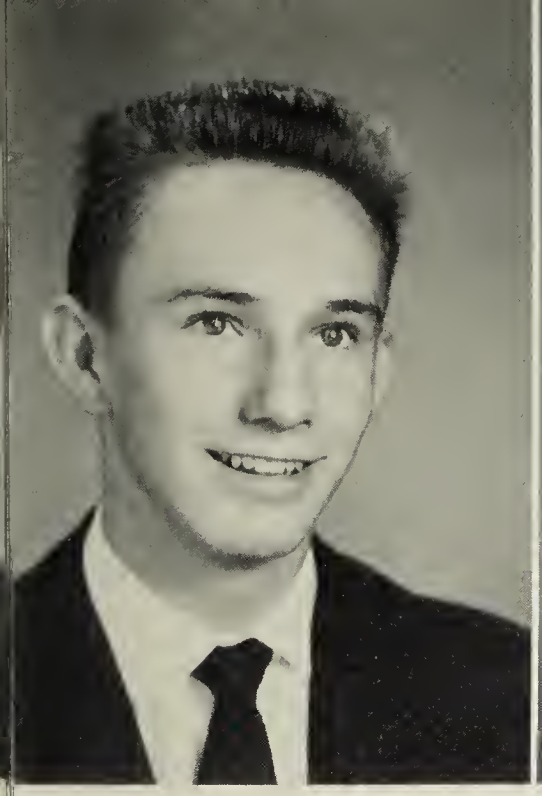


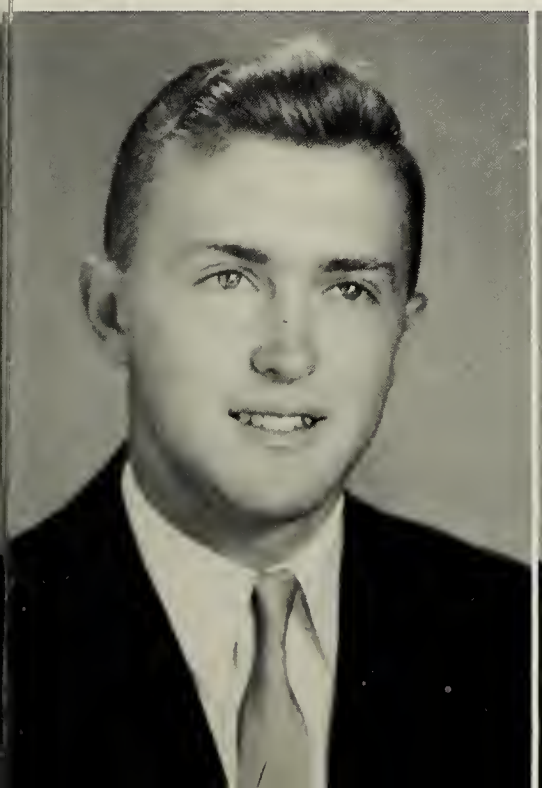
EPHRAIM WHITWORTH CREWS, JR.
"Eph"
Beto Club 2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; Annuol Staff 4, Asst. Bus. Mgr.; 4-H Club 1,2,3, Pres., 4; Library Club 1; Monogram Club 1,4; Geometry Club 4, Vice-Pres.; Football 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Bosketball 2,3, Co-Captoin, 4; Delegate to Boy's Stote, 4; S.C.A. 2; Senior Closs Vice-Pres., Soph. Closs Sec., Junior Closs Sec.; Moy Court 3,4.

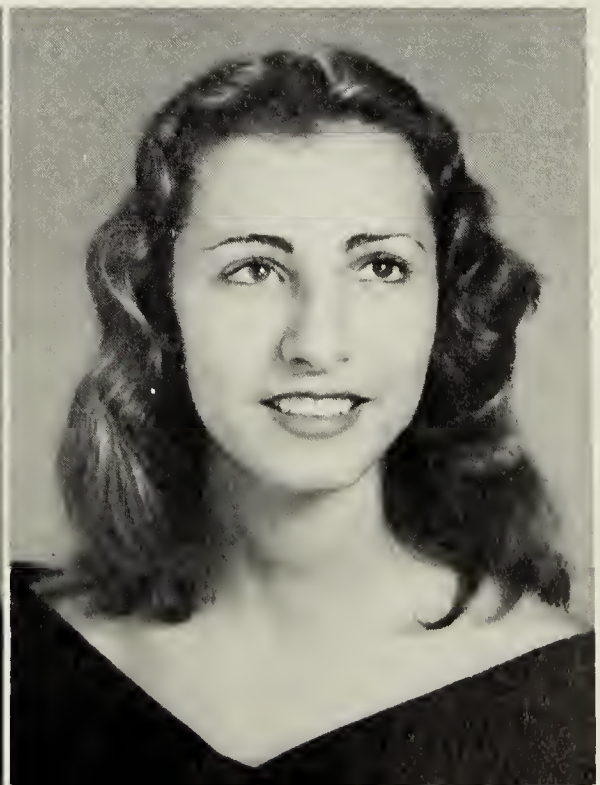
FLORENCE LEE DANIEL
"Florence Lee"
Beta Club 2,3,4; Annual Stoff 2,3,4, Asst. Editor, Co-Editor; Poper Staff 2,3,4; Dramotics Club 1,2,3; Chorol Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club Pres. 1, Sec. 2, Pres. 3, Rept. 4; Librory Club 1,2; Monogrom Club 2,3; Art Club 4; Algebra Club 3; Senior Play; S.I.P.A.; C.S.P.A.; Geometry Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3.

WILLIAM THOMAS DAVIS
"Williom"
F.F.A. 1,2, Treos. 3, Pres. 4; Chorol Club 1,2,3; 4-H Club 1; Librory Club 1,3; Fire Potrol 2,3,4; S.C.A. 3,4; K.V.G.

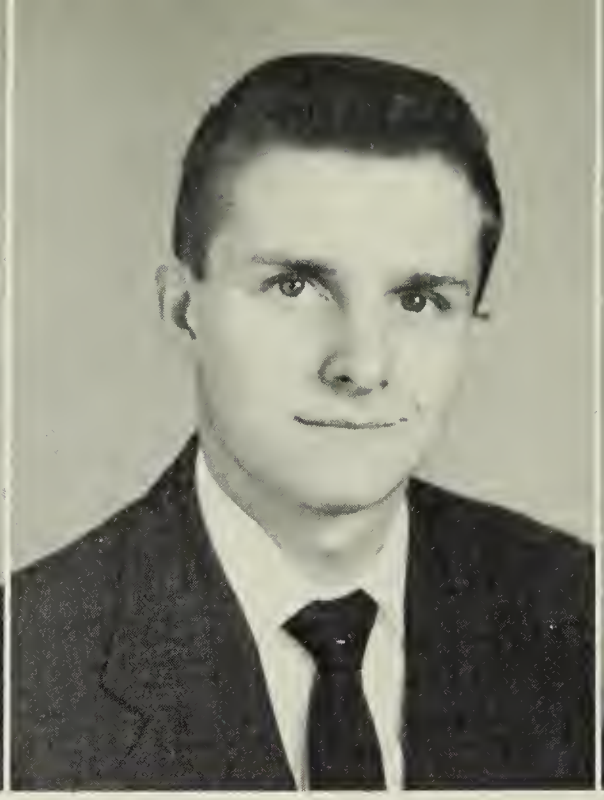
LULA JEAN DORTCH
"Lulo Jeon"
F.H.A. Rept. 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Poper Stoff 3; Chorol Club 1,2,3; Softboll 1; Moy Court 3,4.

GENEVA MARIE ELLIOTT
"Genevo"
F.H.A. 1,4.





GWENDOLYN ANN ELLIOTTE
"Gwendolyn"
F.H.A. 3; Charal 1,3; Library 3,4; Lunch Patral 3; Softball 3.



DARREL VINCENT FALLS
"Darrel"
Post Graduate

RUTH MARGARET FARRAR
"Peggy"
Beta 4; Paper Staff 1,2,3; Dramatics 1,2, Vice-Pres., 3, Sec.; Charal 1,2,3; 4-H 2,3,4; Library 2; Managram 4; Latin 1,2; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3, Pres.; Delegate ta Girl's State; Cheerleader 4; S.C.A. 2; May Caurt 4.

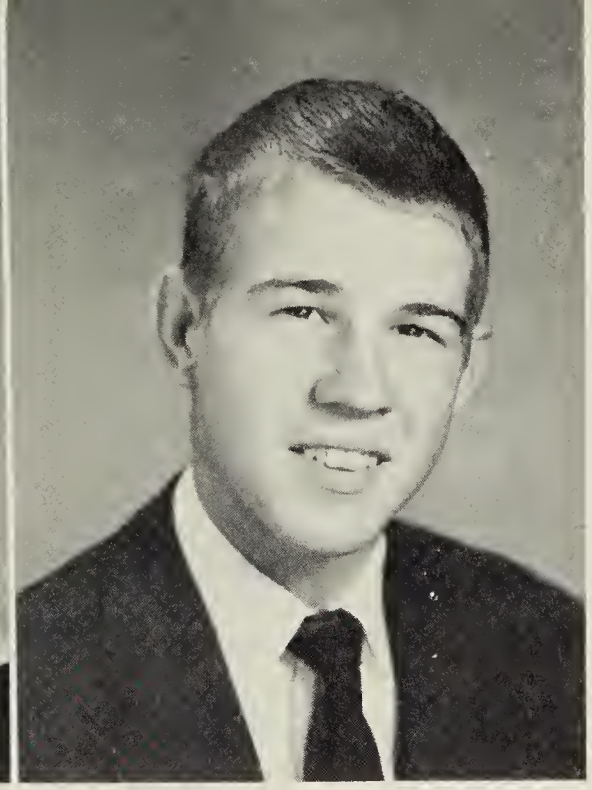
SENIORS

JOHN GARLAND FITZ, JR.
"Jackie"
Charal 1,2,3,4; Monagram 1,2,3,4; D. E. 4; Foatball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3,4.

MARY DORCAS FITZ
"Sissy"
Beta 3,4; Choral 1,2,3,4; Library 2,3; Latin 1,2; May Court 2,3,4; Hamecaming Court 2; F.H.A. 3; S.C.A. 2,4, Sec.; Cheerleader 2; Sec. af Freshman Class; Sec. of Juniar Class.

SENIORS

VIRGINIA LUCILLE FOX
"Lucille"
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Choral 3; 4-H 1,2,3; Library 1; Basketball 1; Softball 1,2,3.

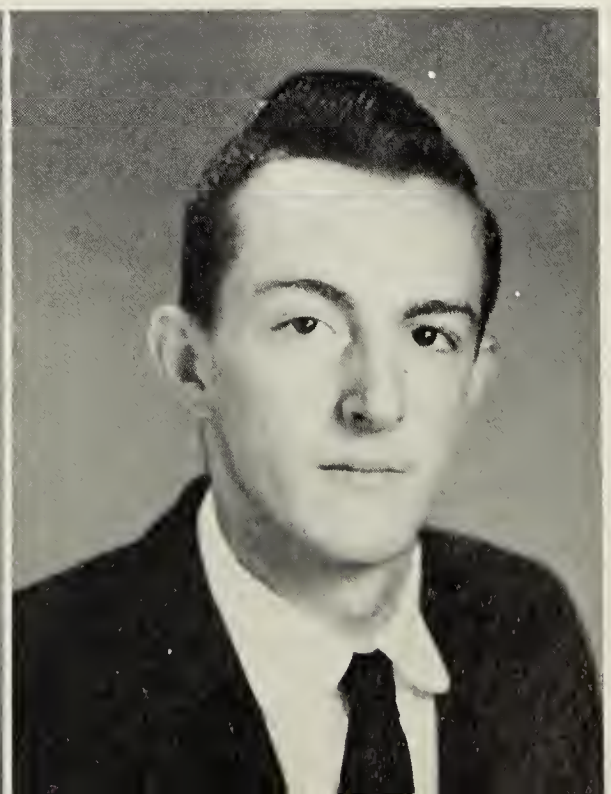


BILLY WINN FULLER
"Gaat"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Charal 1; Foatball 3; Baseball 1.

JO ANN GARNER
"JaAnn"
Beta 2, Sec. 3, Pres. 4; Annual Staff 2,3; Paper Staff 2,3,4; Dramatics 2,3; Charal 1,2,3,4; Library 1,2,3,4; Latin 1,2; Algebra 3; Basketball 4; SCA. Treas. 3; Delegate ta Girls' State 3; Geometry 4, Treas. 4.

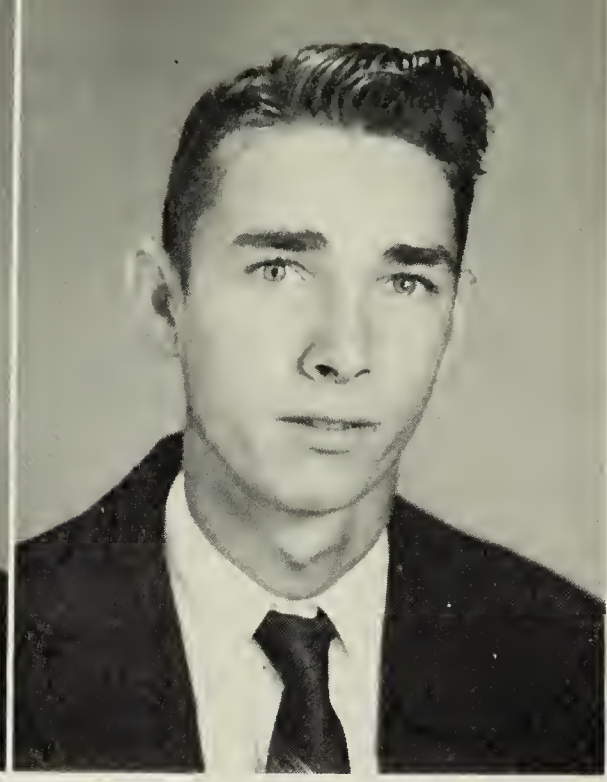
ANN YVONNE GILL
"Ann"
Beta 2, V. Pres. 3,4; Annual Staff 2, Editar 3, Ca-Editar 4; Choral 1,2,3; Managram 4; Lunch Patral 2,3; Cheer Leader 1,3,4; Saftball 1,2,3,4; SCA 1, Treas. 2,3; Fresh. Class Pres.; May Caurt 2,3,4; Delegate to State S.C.A. Convention; Delegate ta S.I.P.A. Convention.

ROMMIE LEE GLASSCOCK
"Fuzzy"
F.F.A. Treas. 1,2,3,4; Choral 1; K.V.G. 1,2,3,4; Faotball 3,4; Baseball 1.

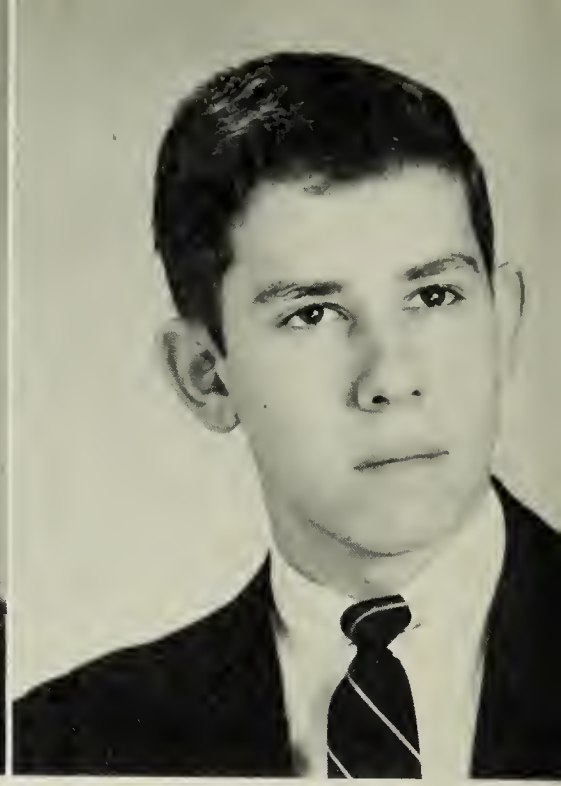


Bill Goode

WILLIAM OSBORNE GOODE
"Bill"
Beta 2,3,4; Geometry 4, Sec. 4; Annual Staff 3,4; Paper Staff 1,2,3, 4, Asst. Editor 3, Editor 4; Dramatics 1,2,3, Sec. 2; Choral 2,3; Library 2, Sec. Treas. 3,4; Latin 1, Rept. 2, Pres.; Algebra 3, Treas.; Hi-Y 3; Sr. Class Sec.;; Senior Play; S.I.P.A.



LAWRENCE RAY GREENE
"Lawrence"
F.F.A. 1,2,3, Vice-Pres.; 4-H 1; K.V.G.



ROBERT TYREE GREENE
"Bobby"
Choral 1,2; Monogram 2,3,4; Latin 1,2,3; Algebra 4; Geometry 4; Football 2,3,4; May Court 3,4.

SENIORS

ANNIE ELIZABETH GREGORY
"Lib"
Beta 4; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Annual 4; Choral 3; Library 4; Softball 3; Jr. Class Rept.; May Court 2; Paper Staff 4.

REBECCA ANN GREGORY
"Becky"
Choral 3,4; 4-H 1; Library.

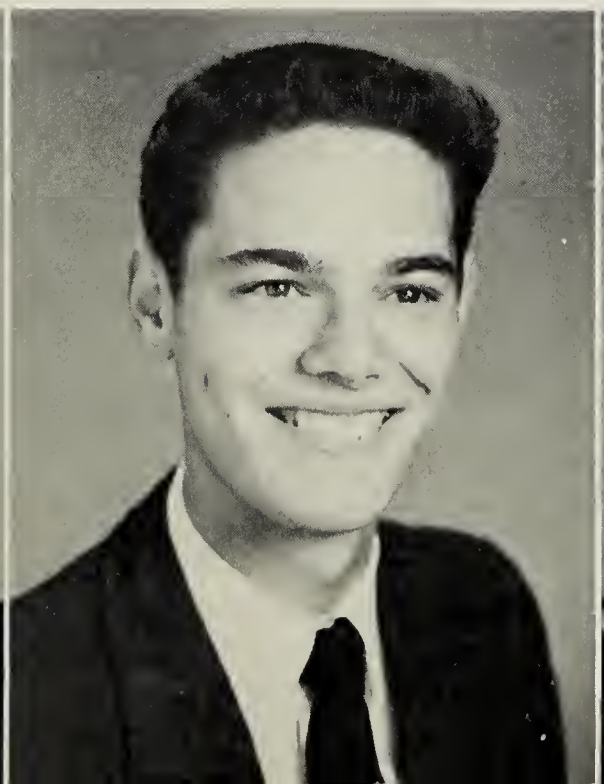
SENIORS

NORRIS FRANKLIN GRYDER
"Norris"
F.F.A. 1,2,3; Dramatics 1; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,2; Fire Patrol 2,3.

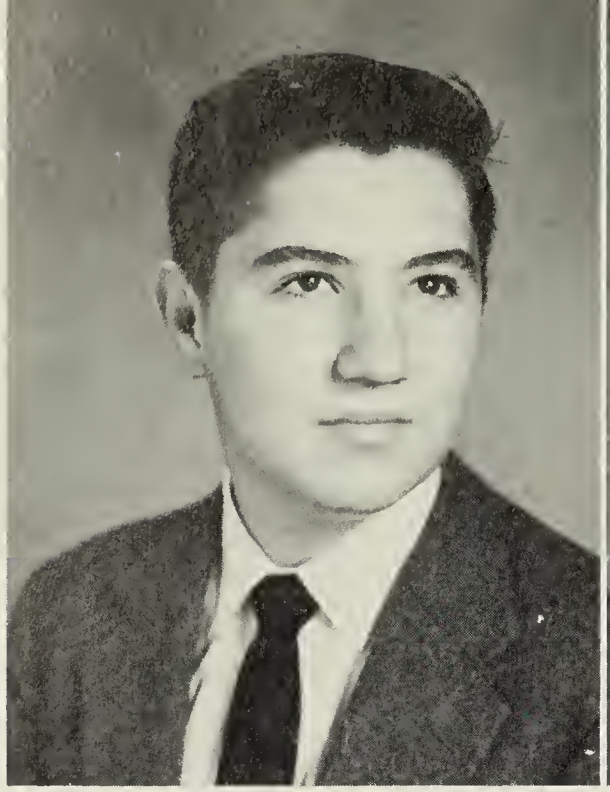
PAUL STANLEY GURLEY
"Stan"
Dramatics 3; Choral 1,2,3,4; Monogram 1,2; Latin 1,2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; Football Manager 1,2; Band 4, Vice-Pres.; Projector 2,3,4.

HELEN MARTIN GWALTNEY
"Pug"
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Treas.; Paper Staff 1; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,2; Library 1; Monogram 1,2; Tri-Hi-Y 2; Softball 1,2,3,4.

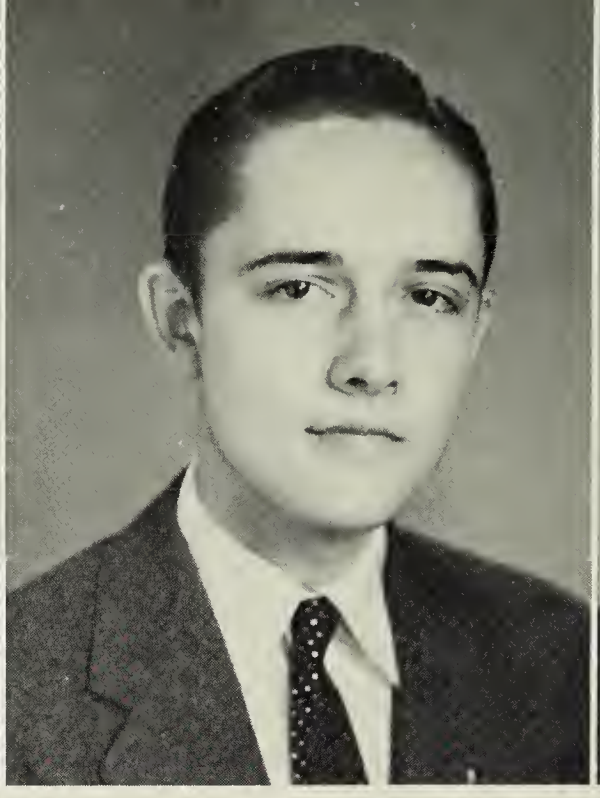
GENE OTIS HACKNEY
"Gene"
Beta 2,3, Treasurer 4; Annual Staff 4; Choral 3,4; Library 3; Monogram 4; Safety Patrol 3,4; Projector's 4; Football 4; Delegate to Boys' State 3; Senior Play 4; May Day Court 4.



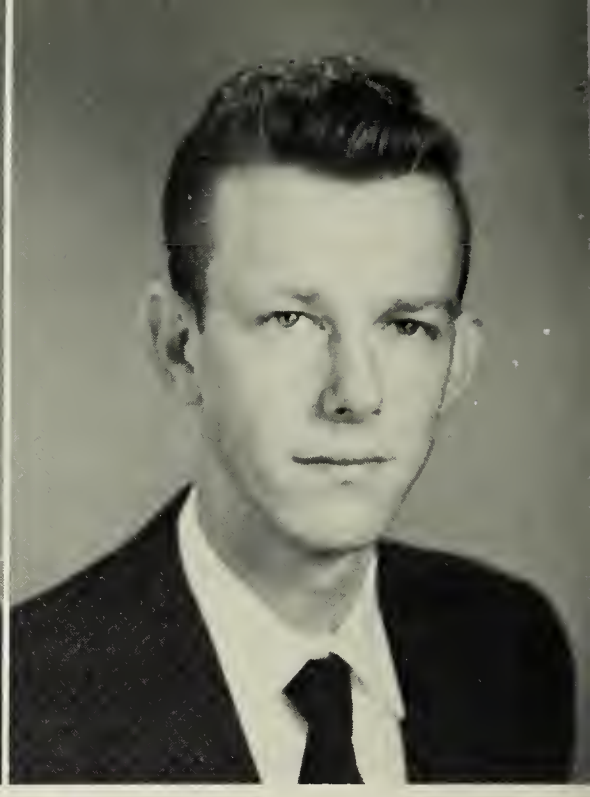
FRANCES MARIE HALL
"Punk"
F.H.A. 1,2; Paper Staff 1; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,2; Library 1.



MEREDITH EDGAR HALL, JR.
"Ed"
Choral 4; Latin 1,2; Algebra 3; Geometry 4; Delegate to Boy's State 3; May Court 3.



MONROE ELI HARMON
"Moe"
Beta 3,4; Dramatics 3; Choral 1,2,4; Spanish 2.



TYREE JUNIOR HARRIS
"Red"
D. E. 2.

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BARBARA JEAN HASH
"popcorn"
Beta 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1, Sec. 3; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1; Library 1; Softball 2; Senior Play.

CLINTON ALLEN HAYES
"Chunk"
Choral Club 1,3; Monogram 4; Football 1,2,3, Co-Captain 4; Baseball 1; Basketball 3,4; May Court 2,3,4.

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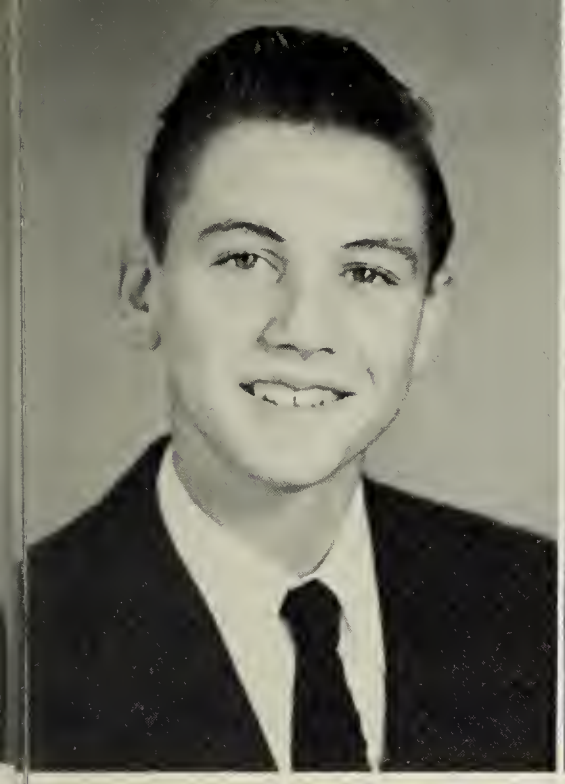


LEONARD JACKSON HITE
"Jackie"
Annual Staff 4; Choral Club 1,3; Monogram Club 4; Football 1,3; Football Mgr. 2,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; Soph. Class V. Pres.; Delegate to Boys State 3.

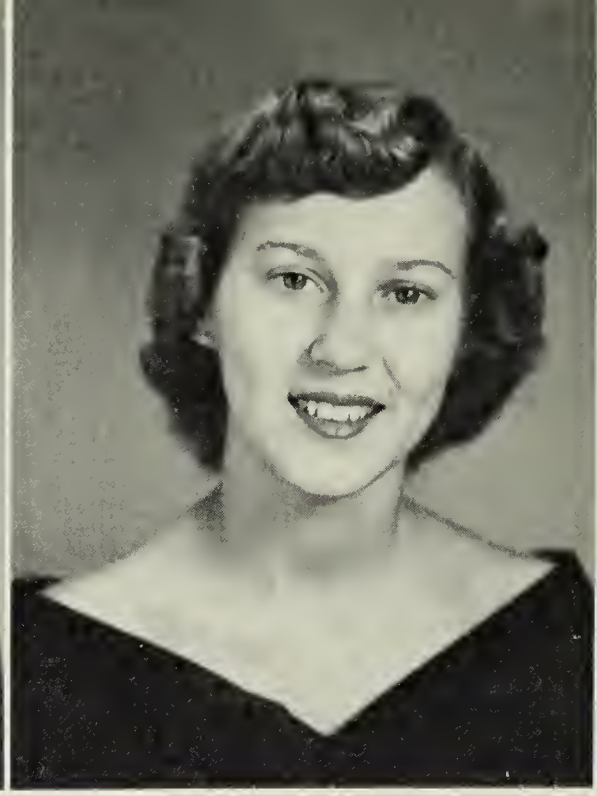
MARTHA ELIZABETH HOBGOOD
"Hop"
F.H.A. 3; Annual Staff 1,2,3; Paper Staff 1,2,3,4; Dramatics Club 2,3; Choral Club 1,2,3,4; Lunch Patrol 1,2; Cheerleader 2,3; Softball 1,2,3, 4; Homecoming Court 3.

CECILE JEANNE HOYLE
"Cecile"
Beta Club 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,3; Dramatics Club 2,3; Choral Club 1,2,3; Library Club 2,4; Latin Club 2,3; Algebra Club 3; Geometry Club 4; Senior Play.

MAMIE ELIZABETH INGE
"Sis"
Beta Club 3,4; F.H.A. 3; Dramatics Club 3; Choral Club 1,2,3; 4-H Club 1; Library Club 1,2,4; Latin Club 1,2; Algebra Club 2,3; Geometry Club 4.

MARGARET ANN JACOBS
"Margaret"
F.H.A. 1,2,3; Dramatics Club 3; Choral Club 2,3; Lunch Patrol 2,3; Softball 2,3.

JAMES HOWARD KEETON, JR.
"Jimmy"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Choral Club 1,2,3; K.V.G. 1,2,3.



FRANCES GAY LENHART
"Frances"
F.H.A. 1; Dramatics Club 3; Choral Club 1,4; Library Club 2; Spanish 2,3, Sec.; S.C.A. Sec. 3; Soph. Class Pres., Junior Class Pres.; Homecoming Court 3; May Court 3; Delegate to Girl's State.

LOY LUTHER LENHART, JR.
"Sonny"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; K.V.G. 2,3,4.

SENIORS

MARTIN ALFRED LINDHOLM
"Martin"
Choral Club 1; 4-H Club 1; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4; Algebra Club 1; Lunch Patrol 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 1; May Court 3,4.

ELLEN FRANCES LIPSITZ
"Ellen"
Tri-Hi-Y 1,2,3; Annual Staff 2,3,4, Financial Mgr.; Dramatics Club 1,2,3; Choral Club 1,2,3; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 1,2,3; Latin Club 1; Spanish Club 2,3; Cheerleader 2, Co-Captain 3; Basketball 4; Softball 3,4; Delegate to Girl's State; May Court 3.

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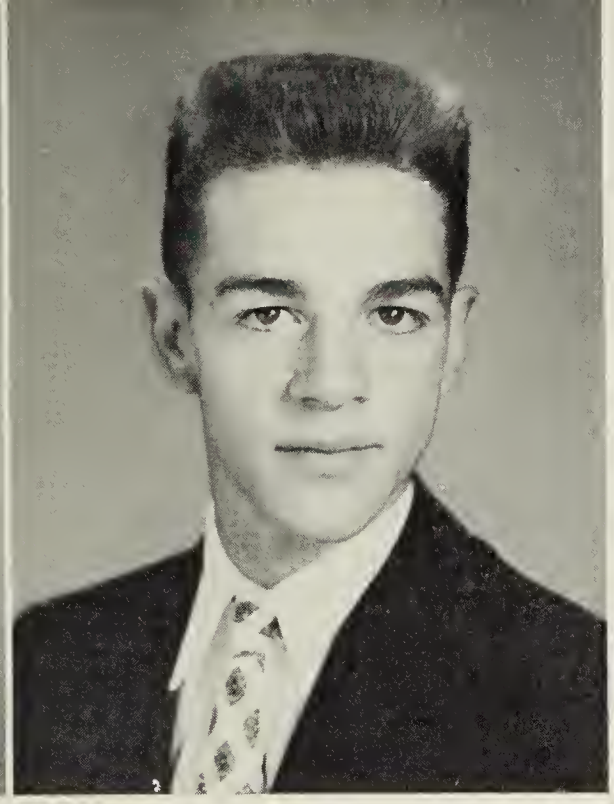
FRANKIE JAMES MEARS
"Frankie"
Annual Staff 3; Paper Staff 3; Library 1; Managram 1,2,3; D.E. 3,4, Pres.; Algebra 3; Foatball 3; Baseball 3.

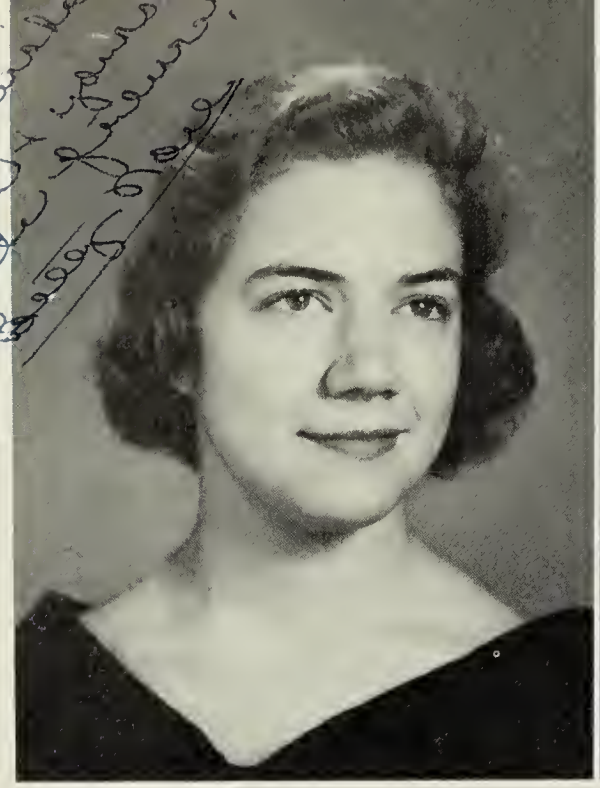


NEAL RAY McPETERS
"Neal"
F.F.A. 1,2, Rept. 3, Sec. 4; Charal 1,2,3; SCA 3; Delegate ta Bays State.

ALBERT BENNETT MOORE
"A.B."
Beta 2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Dramatics 2,3; Charal 1,2,3; Baseball 2; SCA 3; Fresh. Class Hist.; Saph. Class Hist.; Seniar Play.

BOBBY RAY MORRIS
"Babby
Charal 4; Monogram 2,3; D.E. 2; Latin 1; Faatball 2,3.

VALEDIA CHRISTINE MULCHI
"Christine"
F.H.A. 3; Annual Staff 3; Paper Staff 3; Charal 2,3,4; Library 3; Saftball 3.



BETTY LEE NOEL
"Betty Lee"
Annual Staff 3; Choral 1,2,3,4; 4-H 3,4; Library 2,3,4; Monogram 2,3; Latin 1,2; Cheerleader 2,3; Band 4; Majorette 4; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3.

PATRICIA ANN NUNN
"Pat"
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 1,2,3; Choral 1,2,3; Fire Patrol 1; Softball 1,2; Homecoming Court 2,3; May Court 3,4.

JOHN ROBERT OSBORNE
"Bobby"
Library 1; D.E. 4; May Court 3.

NANCY LEE OWEN
"Nan"
Beta 2,3,4; Dramatics 3; Choral 1,2,3,4; Library 3, Vice-Pres.; Monogram 1,2,3,4; Latin 1,2, Sec. 2; Algebra 3, Vice-Pres. 3; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4, Co-Captain 3,4; S.C.A. 4ep. 2; Homecoming Court 1, Fall Festival 4; Delegate to Girls State; May Court 1,2,3,4, Queen 4.

RUFUS REDDIX PARRISH, JR.
"Rufus"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Choral 1; K.V.G., Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1; Band.

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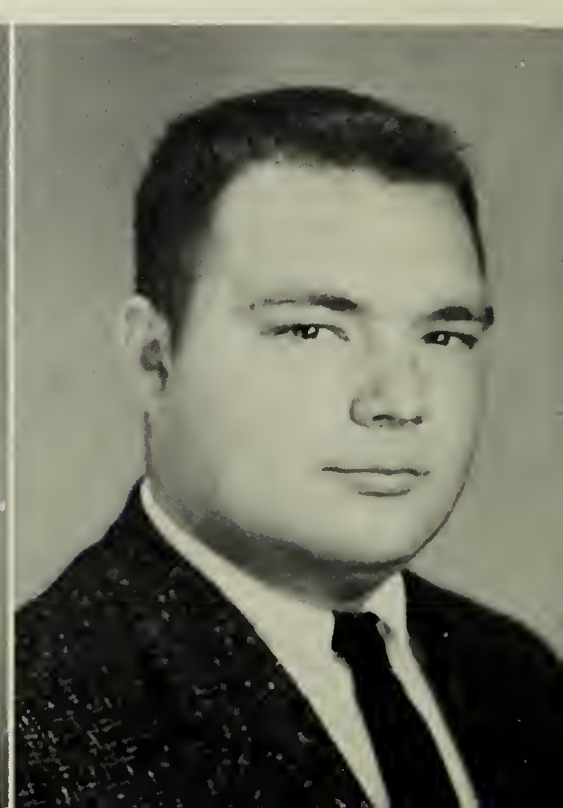

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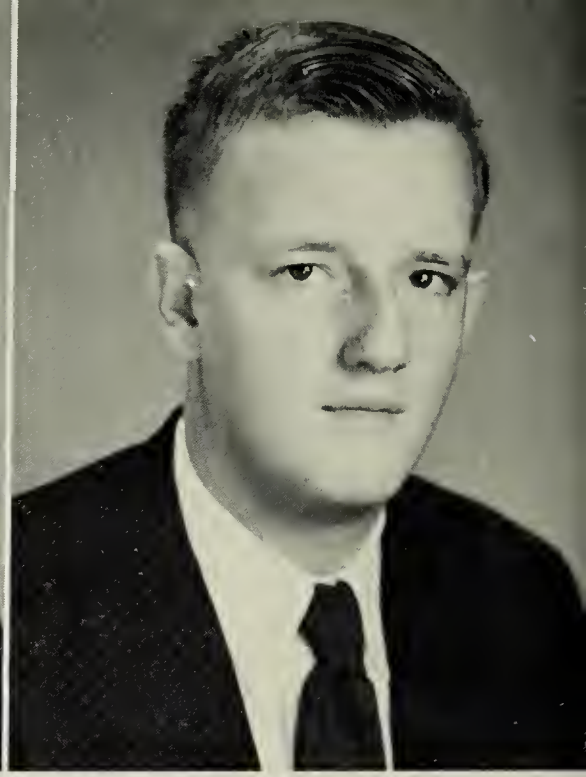
NANCY ALICE PHILLIPS
"Nancy P."
F.H.A. 2,3, Pres. 4; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,3,4; Library 2,3,4; Latin 1; Projectors 3; Tri-Hi-Y 1,2; Jr. Class Treas.; May Court 3,4.

JOYCE ANN REDD
"Joyce"
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Choral 3; 4-H 1.

RUBY RAE REESE
"Greece"
F.H.A. 1,2; Dramatics 2; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,2; Library 4; Softball 1.

ZELMA LELIA RIGGINS
"Punk"
Annual Staff 1,2,3; Paper Staff 2,3, 4; Dramatics 3; Choral 1,3; 4-H 1; Library 2; Softball 1,2.

LOIS BEVERLY RHODES
"Lois"
Beta 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2; 4-H 1; Library 1; Latin 3,4; Algebra 2; Lunch Patrol 1,2.



JAMES BRENDA ROARK
"Jimmy"
Beta 2,3,4; Annual Staff 2; Paper Staff 4; 4-H 2,3,4; Library 2,4; Latin 1,2; Algebra 3, Treasurer.

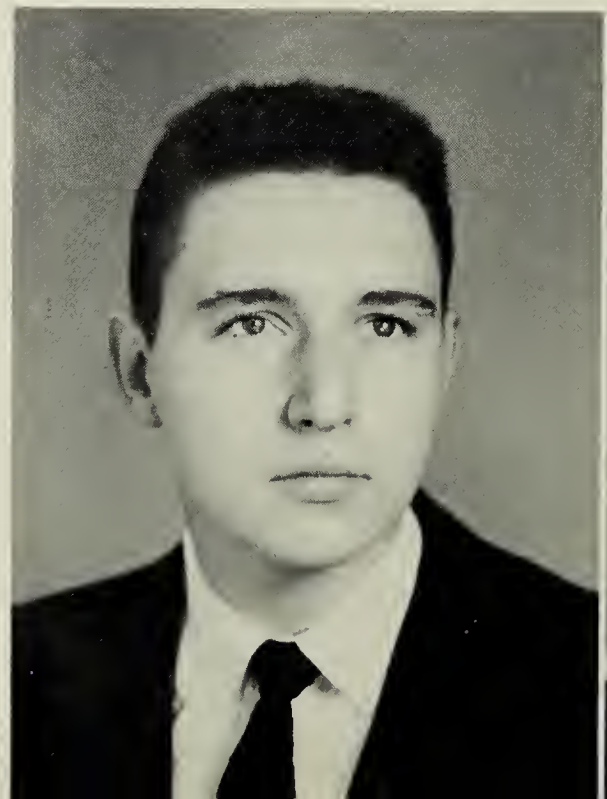
It has been fun being in school with you. I am sorry to miss you next year but I wish you luck in college and in your future life. Brenda

LELIA ANN ROBERTS
"Lela"
Annual Staff 2,3; Dramatics 1; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 3,4; Monogram 2,3; Latin 1; Cheerleader 2; Tri-Hi-Y 1,2,3, Sec.; Spanish 1; Basketball Mgr. 4; Library Club 2,3.

WALTER CRAWFORD ROGERS
"Sonny"
Geometry 4; Football 4; 4-H 1,2,3; Library 1.

WILLIAM THOMAS RUTLEDGE, JR.
"Tommy"
Beta 2,3,4; Hi-Y 3, Sec.; Annual Staff 2,3, Asst. Business Mgr., 4, Business Manager; Paper Staff 1, 2,3, Asst. Ed., 4; Library 2,3; Dramatics 2, Rpt., 3, Vice-Pres.; Choral 2,3; Latin 1, Treas., 2; Geometry 4; Student Council 4, Vice-Pres.; Junior Class Asst. Treas.; Senior Class President; May Day Court, 3,4; Delegate to Boys' State 3; Projector 3; Senior Play 4; Delegate to S.I.P.A. 2,3.

BETTY VIOLA SEAMANS
"Bet"
Choral 1,2; 4-H 1,3; Library 1; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Softball 3.



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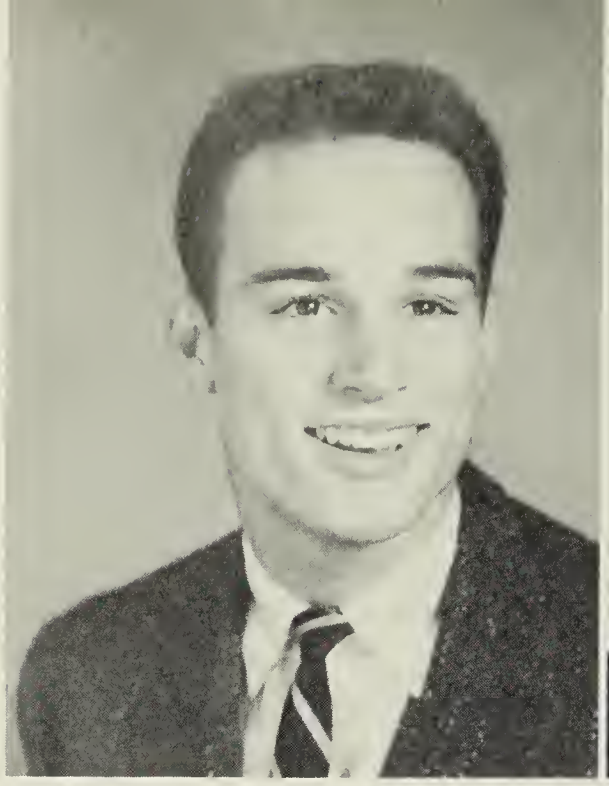
MARSHALL MELVIN SHEARIN
"Mugg"
Choral 3,4; Monogram 4; Football 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 4, Mgr.; Fresh. Class Treas.; Soph. Class Treas.; May Court 2,3,4, Attendant; Senior Play.

RAYMOND ALLEN SMILEY
"Ray"
F.F.A. 1,2; D.E. 4; Baseball 3; Jr. Class Rpt.

BERKLEY THOMAS SPAIN
"Buddy"
D. E. 3,4.

RUTH ELLEN SORRELL
"Ruth"
Beta 2,3, Sec. 4; F.H.A. 1,2; Paper Staff 3,4; Choral 1,2,3,4; Library 3; Band; Basketball 4; Softball 1,2.

DENNIS ELMO TALBERT, JR.
"Shape"
Annual Staff 1; Dramatics 1; Football 1; Band 1,2,3.



MARVIN SALVADOR THOMASSON
"Sally"
Monogrom 4; Delegote to Boy's State; Moy Court 1,2; Senior Ploy; Secretary of Sophomore Closs; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseboll 1,2,3,4; Bosketball 3,4.

JAMES ALLEN THOMPSON
"Jimmy"
Beto 2,3,4; D.E. 4; Boseboll 1,2,3, 4; Bosketball 2,3,4; S.C.A. 3; President of Freshman ond Junior Closs; Secretory of Sophomore Class.

JEAN ELIZABETH TOLLERSON
"Jean"
F.H.A. 2,3; History 3.

SENIORS

MARY FRANCES TUCK
"Mary"
F.H.A. 1,2,3; Dromatics 1,2; Chorol 1,2,3; Softboll 1,2.

ROBERT ALLEN WAGSTAFF
"Bobby"
Monogrom 2,3; Lotin 1,2; Algebro 2,3; Footboll 2,3; Boseboll 2; Delegate to Boy's State; Geometry 4; Projectors 1,2,3,4.

SENIORS

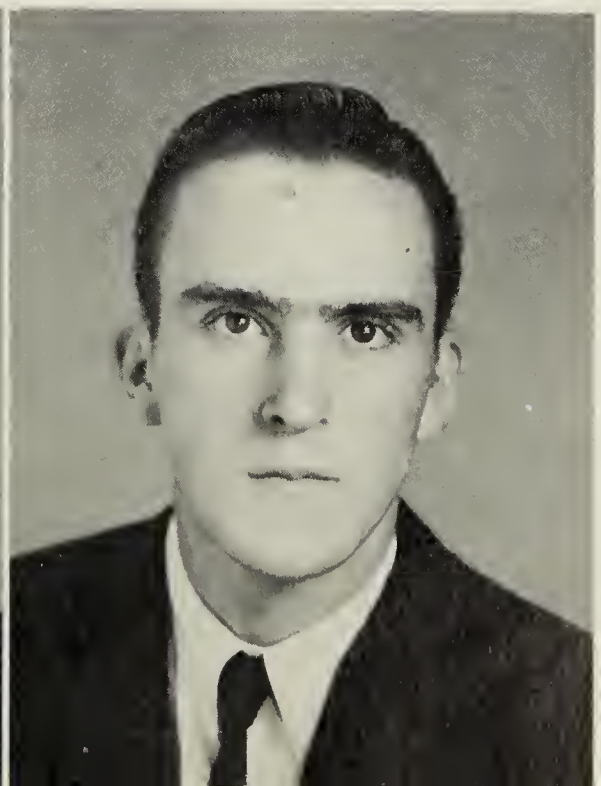
EMORY SPEER WALDREP, JR.
"Emory"
F.F.A. 4; Annual Staff 4; 4-H 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Class Treas. 3,4; May Court 1,2,3.

DORIS ELEANOR WALLACE
"Dot"
F.H.A. 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; Choral 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1; Monogram 1,2; D.E. 4; Rept; Cheer Leader 1; Tri-Hi-Y 1.

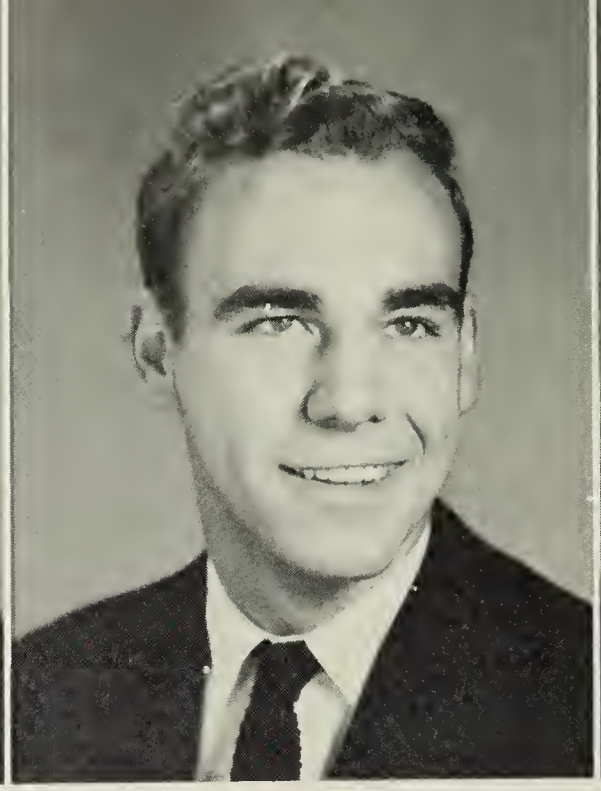
JOSEPH GREY WALKER
"Grey"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; K.V.G. 2,3,4; 4-H 1; Baseball 1.

JUDITH REBECCA WALKER
"Red"
Beta 2,3,4; Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Art Ed. 4; Paper Staff 1,2,3,4; Dramatics 1,2,3; Choral 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1; Library 1,2; Art Club 4; Algebra Club 2; Lunch Patrol 2; Spanish 2,3; Minstrel 1,2.

ERVIN WELLS WHITLOW
"Romeo"
F.F.A. 2,3; Annual Staff 3; Paper Staff 3; Dramatics 3; Choral 2,3,4; 4-H 1; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Mono-



FRANCES MAE WILKERSON
"Frannie Mae"
Beta 2,3,4; Annual Staff 3; Paper Staff 3,4; Choral 1,2,3; Cheer Leader 2,3; May Court 2.



ROBERT LEE WILKERSON
"Bobby"
Beta 2,3,4; Dramatics 1; Choral 2; Monogram 4; Football 1,2,3, Co-Captain 4; Baseball 1,2, Co-Captain 3,4; Basketball 3,4; SCA 2, V. Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Pres. of Soph. & Jr. Class; Sec. of Fresh. Class; S.I.P.A.; State S.C.A. delegate; May Court 2,3, King 4.

FRANCES ELIZABETH WILKINSON
"Frances"
Beta 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; Choral 2,3,4; Library 3; Band 4.

SENIORS

DONALD GENTRY WILSON
"Donald"
Beta 2,3,4; Paper Staff 2,3; Choral 2,3,4; Jr. Class Sec.; May Court 3.

DABNEY CURTIS WINCKLER
"Curtis"
4-H 1,2; Library 1; D.E. 4; Lunch Patrol 1; Baseball 1,2,3; Basketball 3.

THOMAS JULIAN WOOD
"Julian"
rojector 3,4; Choral 4; 4-H 1,2; ire Patrol 3,4; May Court 4.

GORDON MANUEL YANCEY
"Gordon"
Annual Staff 3,4; Paper Staff 2; Dramatics 1; Choral 3; Monogram 4; Fire Patrol 3; Delegate to S.I.P.A. Convention; Football 1,2,3, Mgr. 4; Baseball 1,2, Mgr. 3,4; Geometry 4.

MARTHA ANN YANCEY
"Martha"
Beta 4; F.H.A. 3; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Paper Staff 2,3; Dramatics 3; Choral 1,2,3; Monogram 4; Cheer Leader 1,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Reporter of Class 1,3; May Court 2,3, Attendant 4; Homecoming Court 3; Football Festival Queen 4.

SENIORS

PATRICIA JEAN YANCEY
"Pat"
eta 2,3,4; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Annual taff 2,3; Choral 1,2,3; 4-H 1,2,3; ibrary 1; D.E. 4; Lunch Patrol ,2,3,4; May Court 1; SCA 2,4; ec. of Soph. Class; Treas. of Fresh. lass.

RICHARD NORFLEET YANCEY
"Norfleet"
F.F.A. 1,3,4; KVG.

WILLIAM FRANCIS YANCEY
"William"
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3,4; Fire Patrol 1; K.V.G.

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Bill Burnett
Ernest Carter

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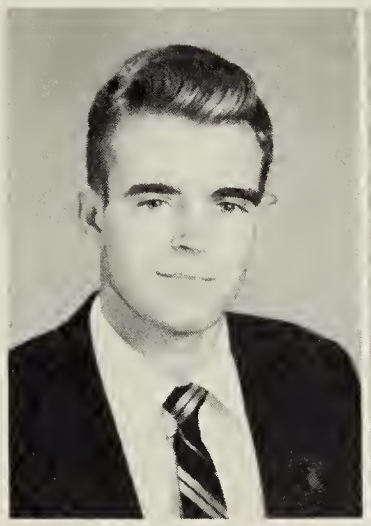

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Louise Clark

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Violet Coleman

Rebecca Crump
Joseph Crute
Louis Dunn

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Rose Elliott
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James Franklin

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Donald Gentry
Franklin Glasscock

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Mary Green
Richard Gregory

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Mack Hudson

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Ruth Ingram

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Elaine Johnson
Bud Jones

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Odie Morris

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Wayne Morris
Harold Newby

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Erline Newton
Franklin Newton

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Joan Owen

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Buddy Pennington
Jean Pugh

Ellen Paole
Jae Phillips
Rachel Rogers

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Rabert Rice
Richard Rash

Linda Ramsey
Mary Field Skipwith
James Pruitt
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Anne Marie Simmons
Nancy Simmons
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Jackie Smith
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Carol Spaulding

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Ruth Stebbins
Sam Tarry

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Reginald Tharrington
Herman Thompson
(not pictured)

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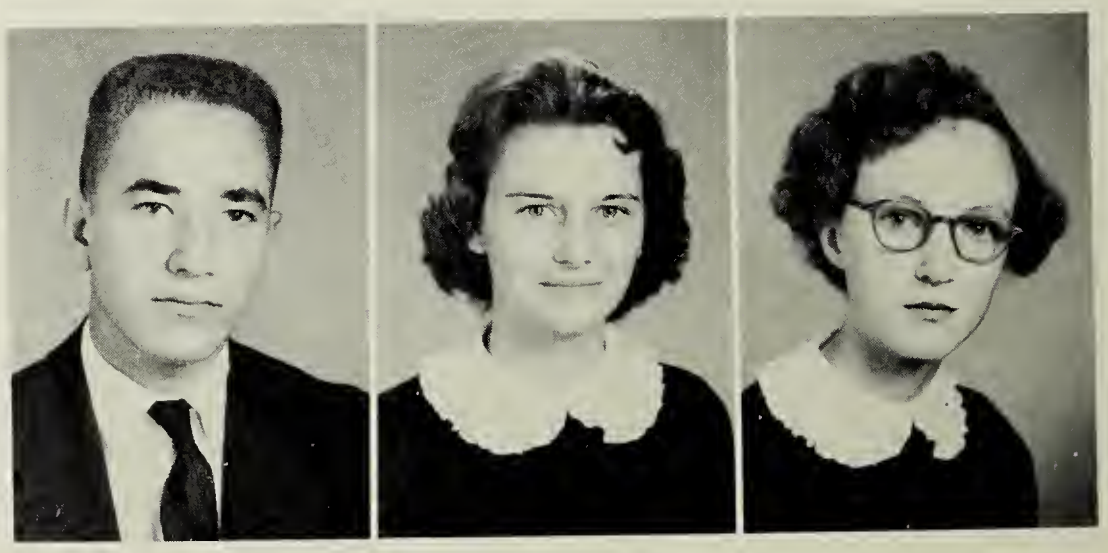

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Elmore Williams

LaVerne Williamson
Carol Wilson
Laxton Wilson

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Charles Wooten
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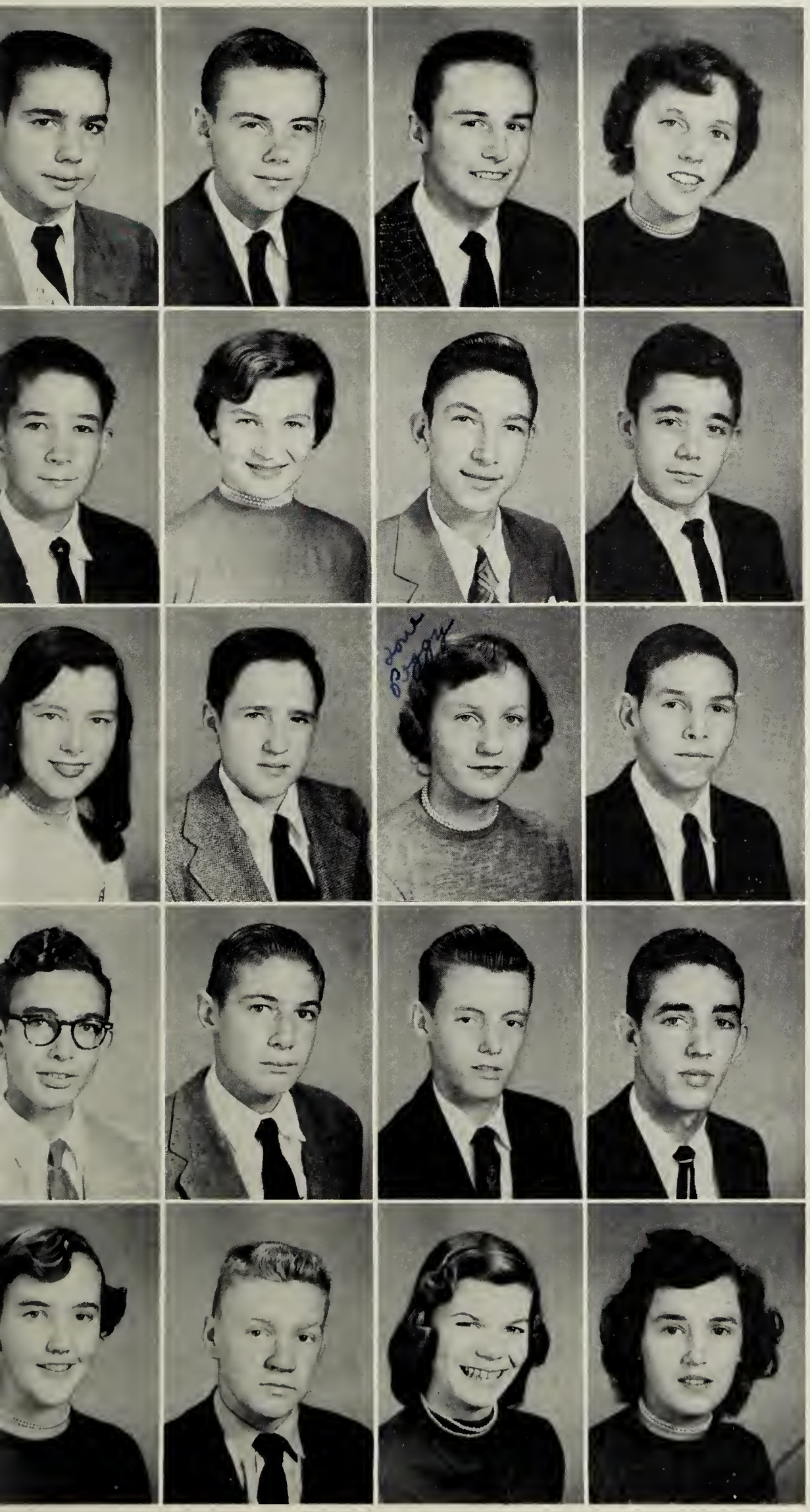

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Frances Bawers
Rufus Bayter
Jerry Burnett

Virginia Bridges
George Callahan
Peggy Carter
Wayne Carter

Donald Champian
Gene Champian
Eugene Chandler
Maynard Chandler

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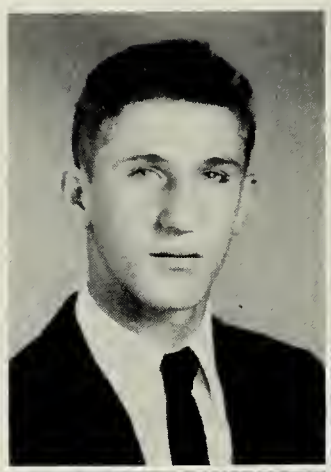

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Gene Dalton
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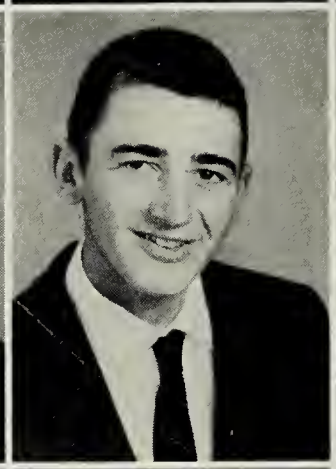

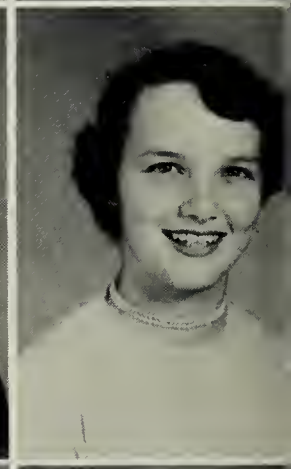

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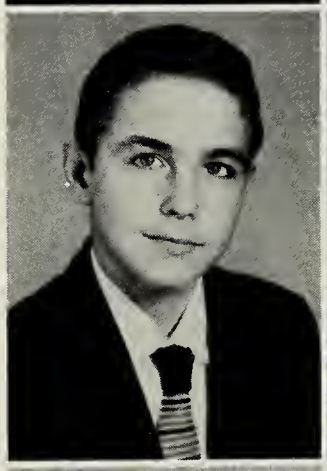
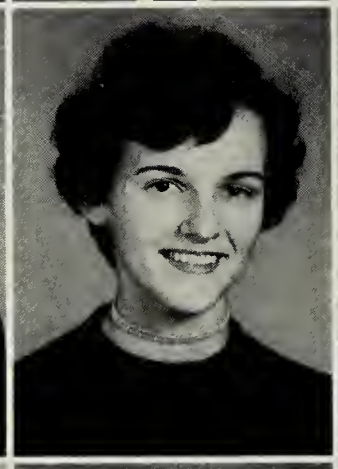

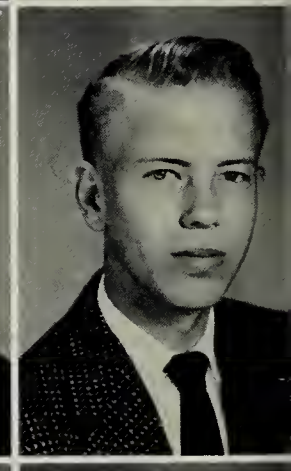

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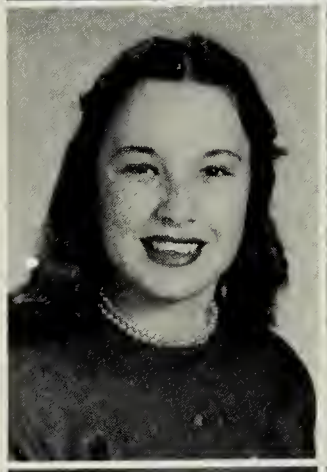

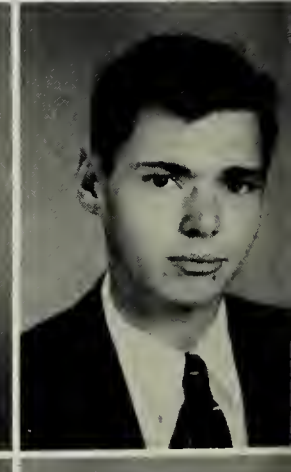

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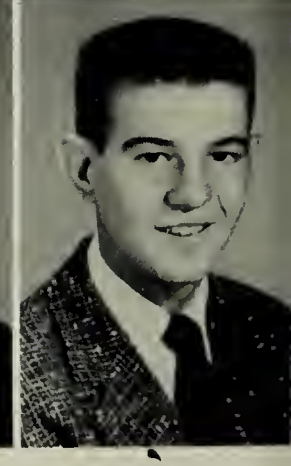

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Clinton Gurley
Thomas Gryder

Jimmy Hall
Raymond Hamblem
Marshall Harris
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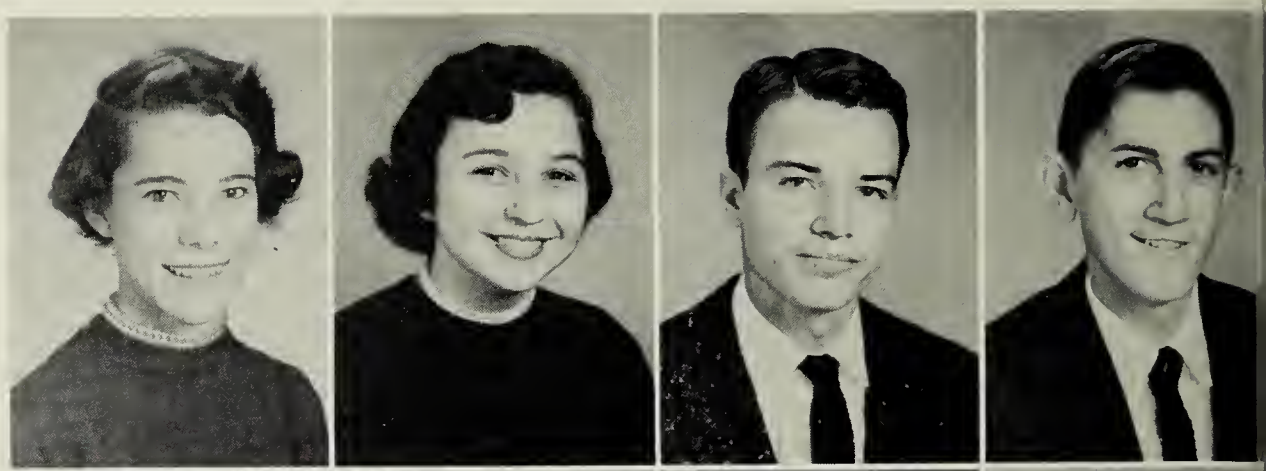

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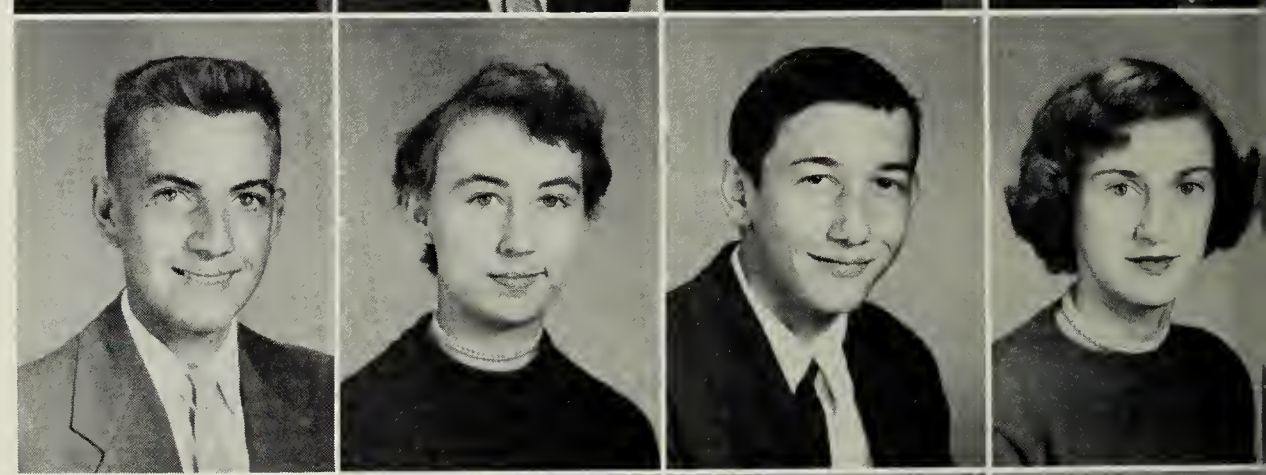

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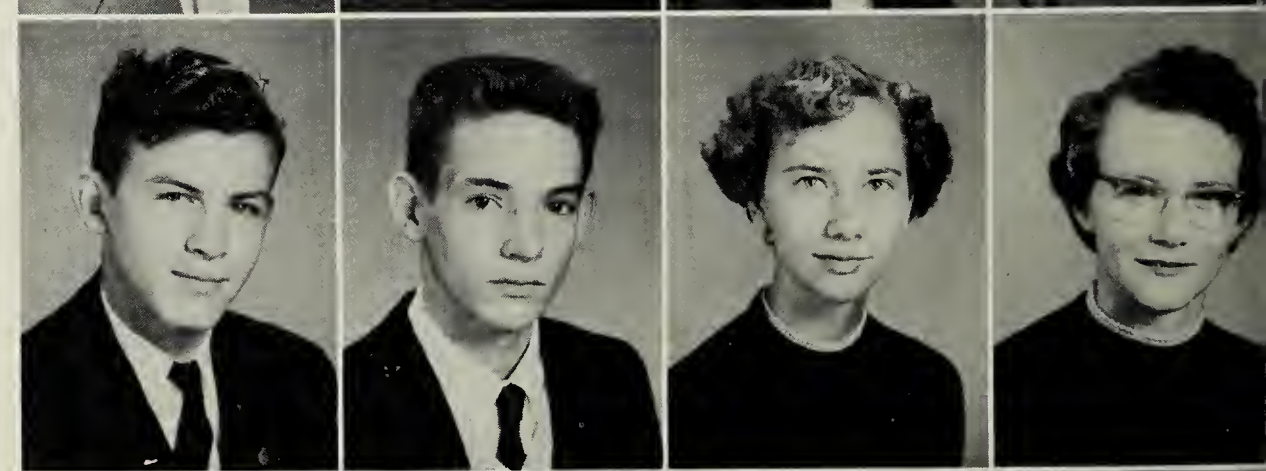

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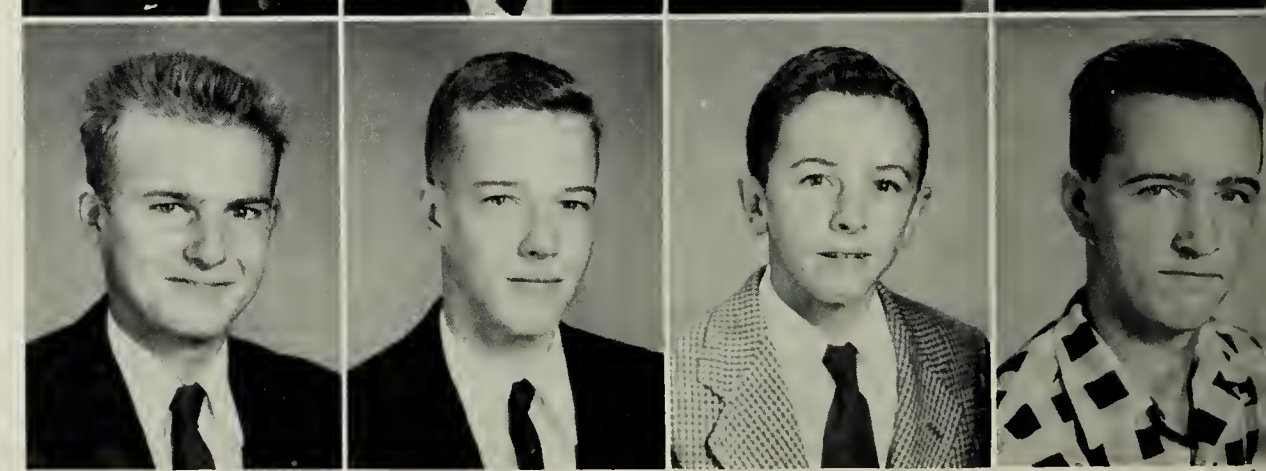

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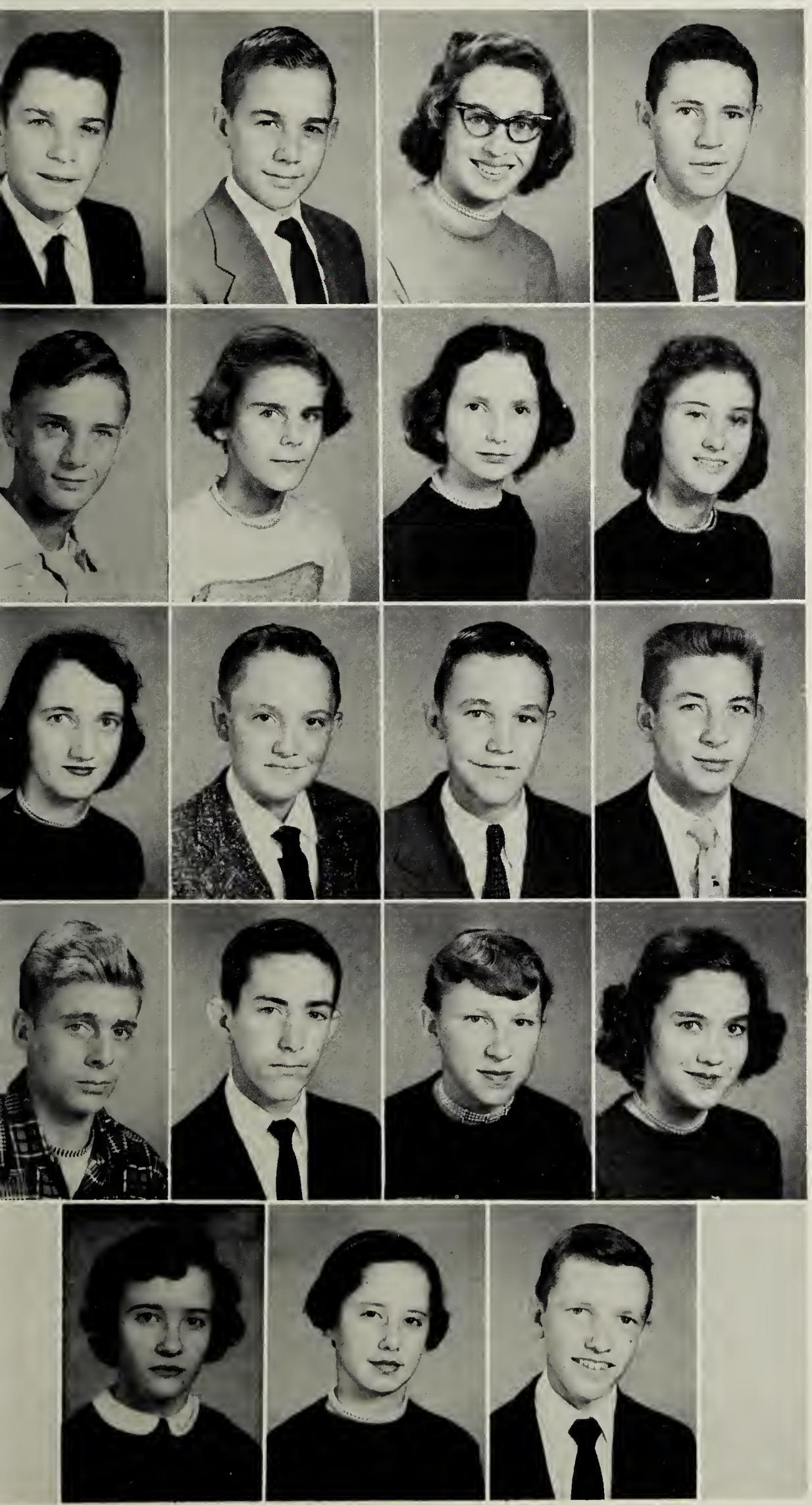

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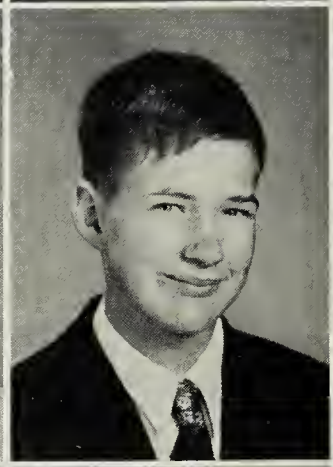
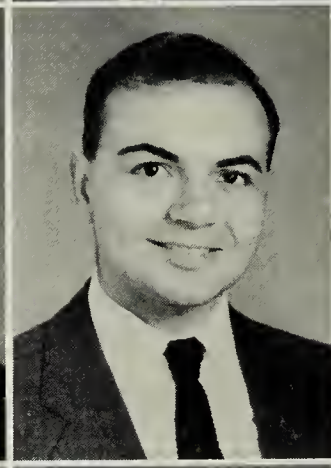
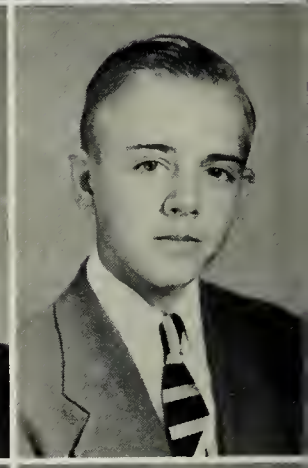

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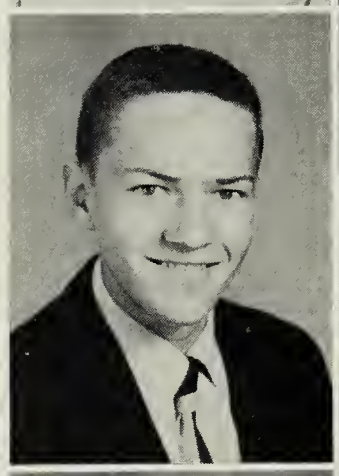

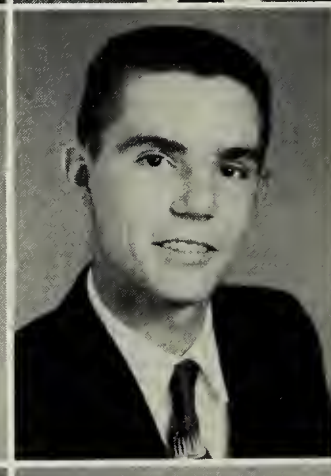

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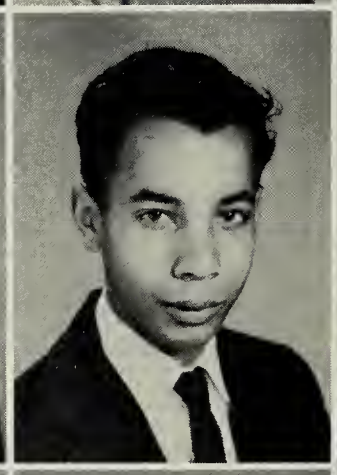
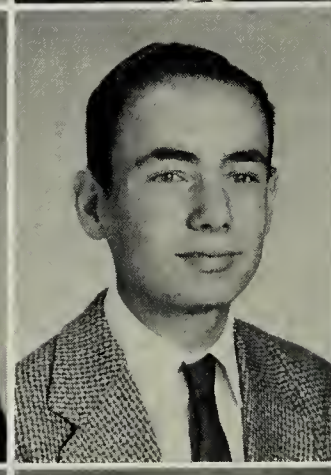
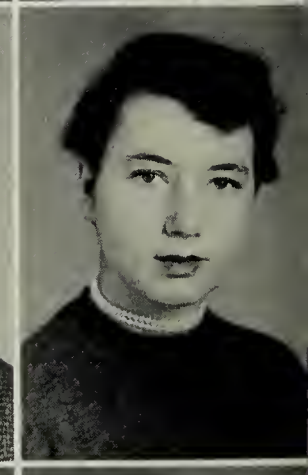

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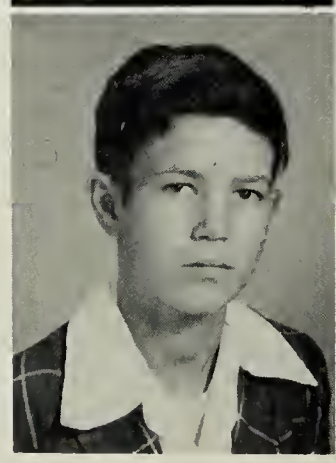

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Nancy Williams
Frederick Willis

Charlotte Wyne
Gene Winston
Pat Woodroof
JoAnne Wortman

Mary Alice Wooten
Lillian Yancey
Delmore Yates
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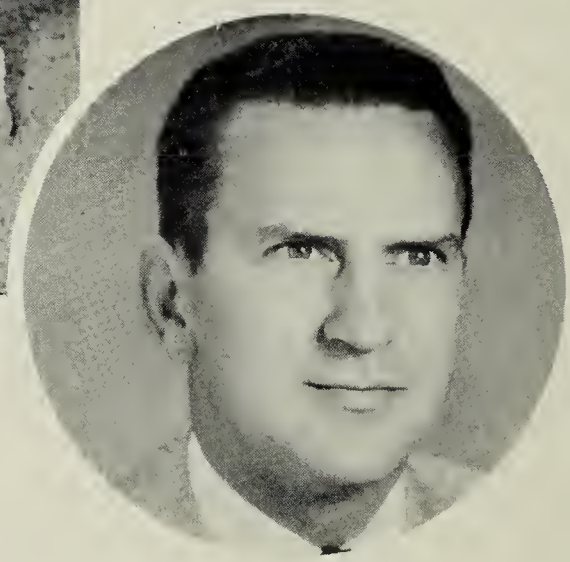

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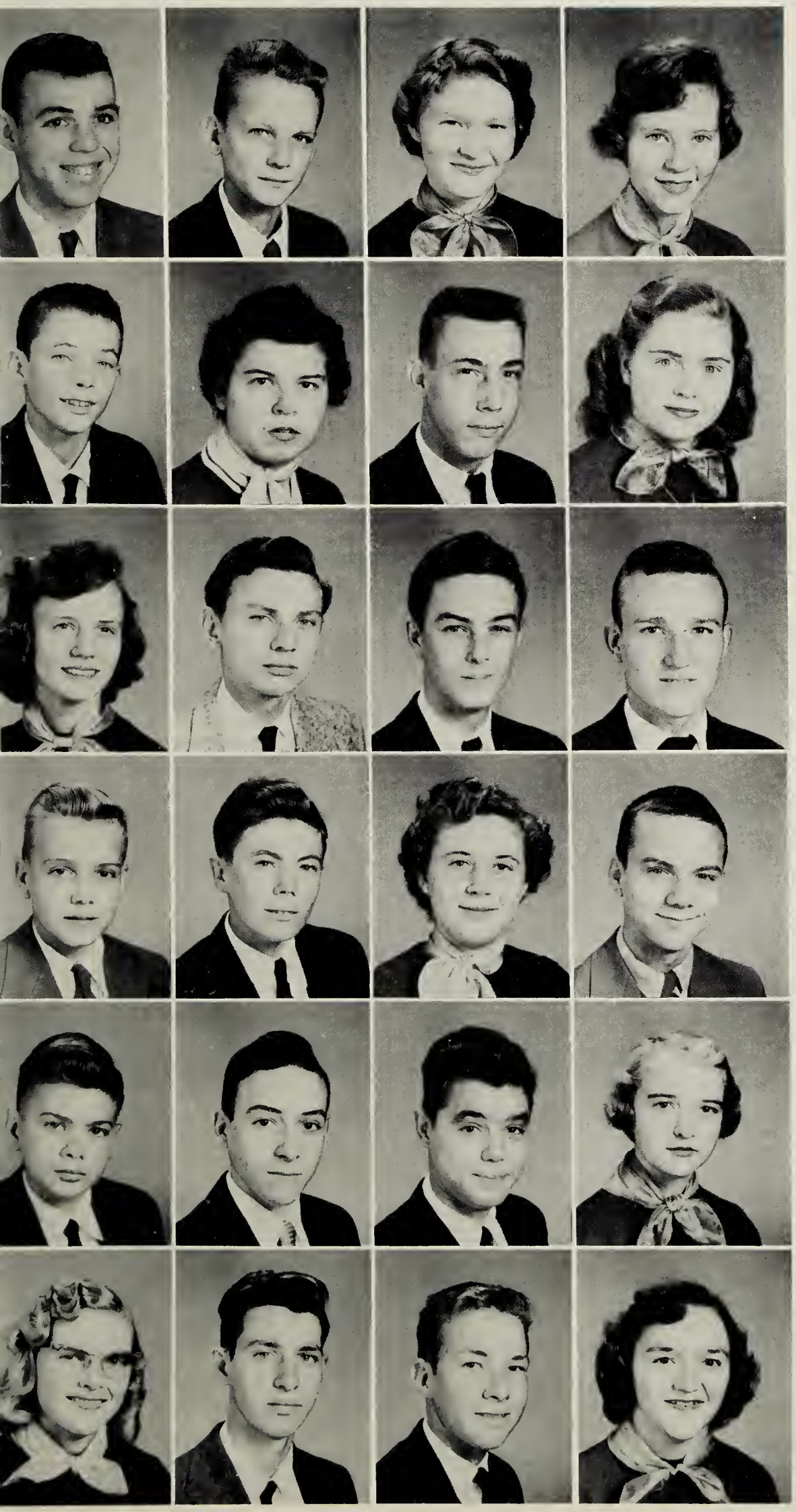

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Dolly Bohannon

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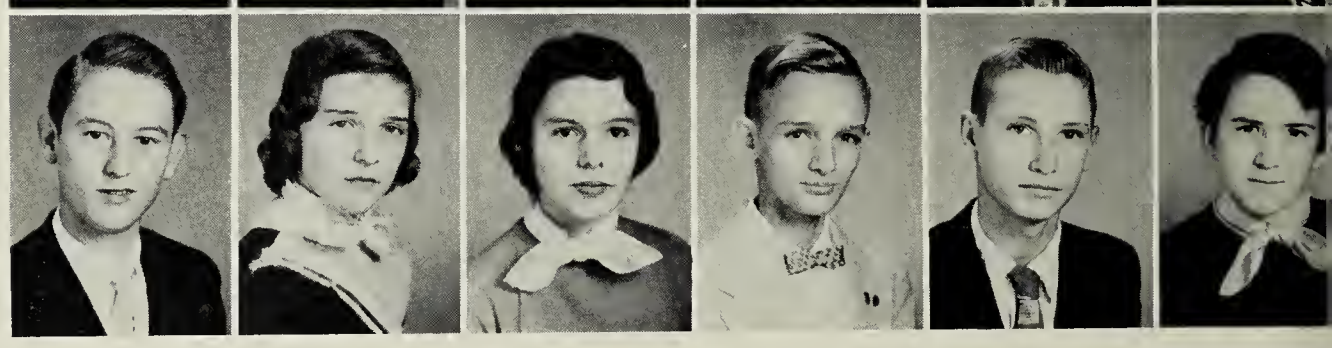

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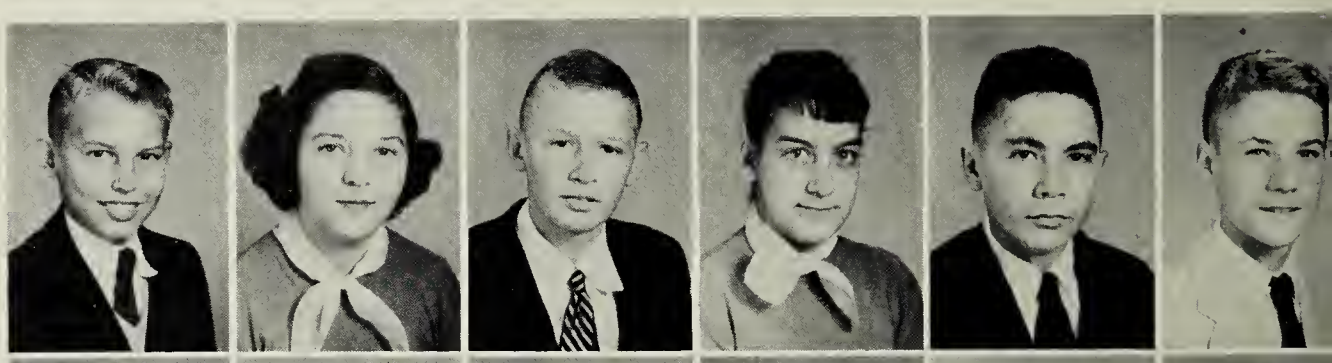

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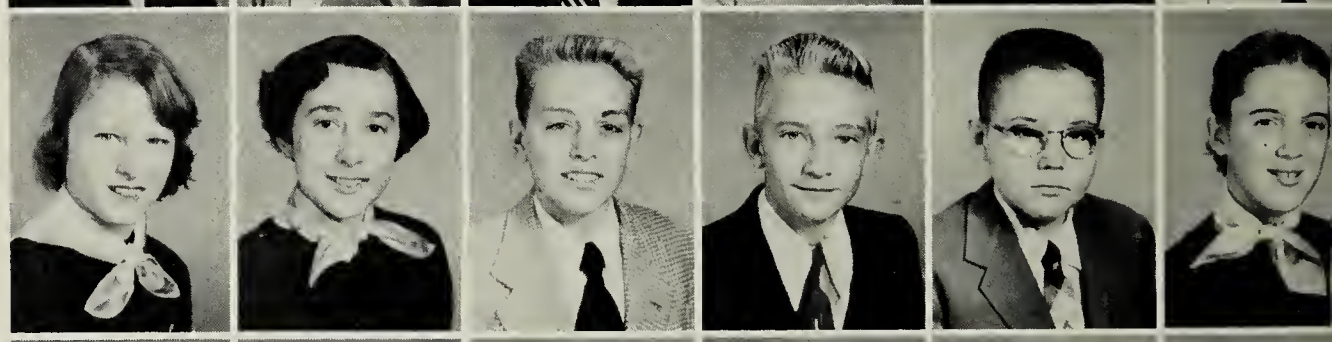

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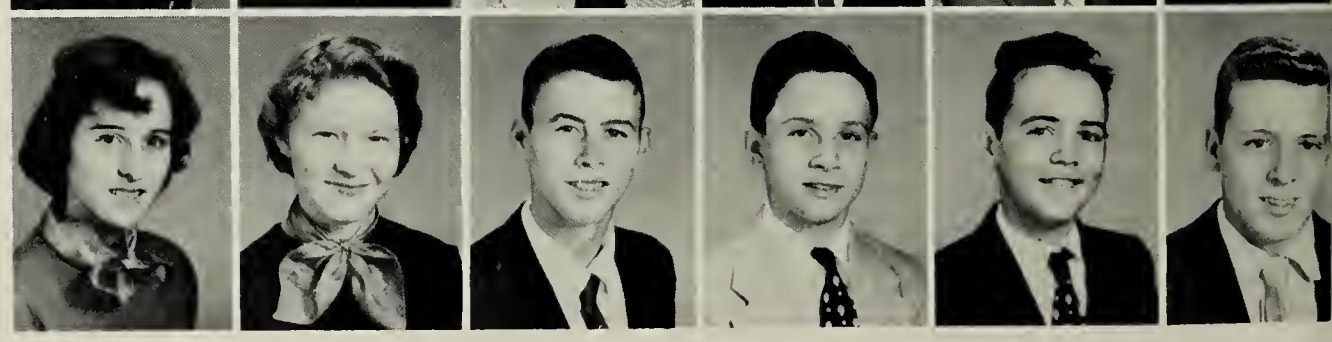

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Robert Gregory
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Jackie Griffith
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Shirley Harris
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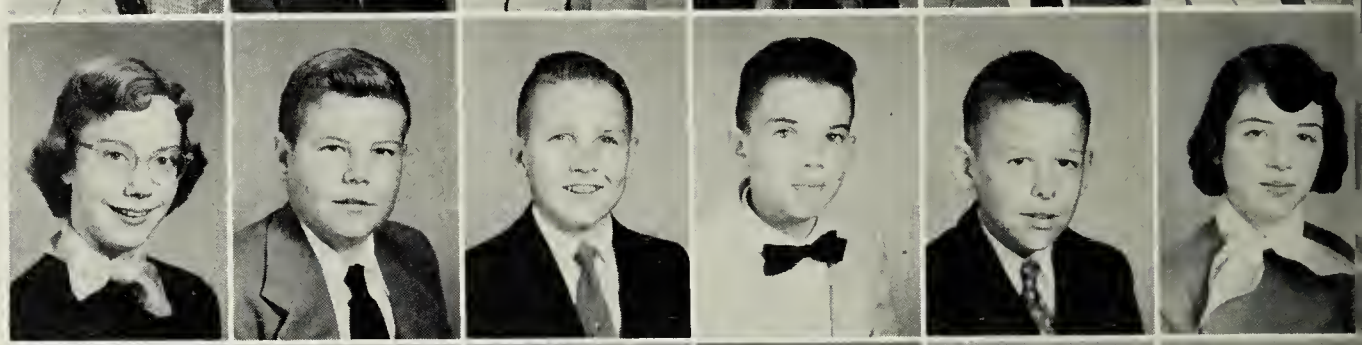

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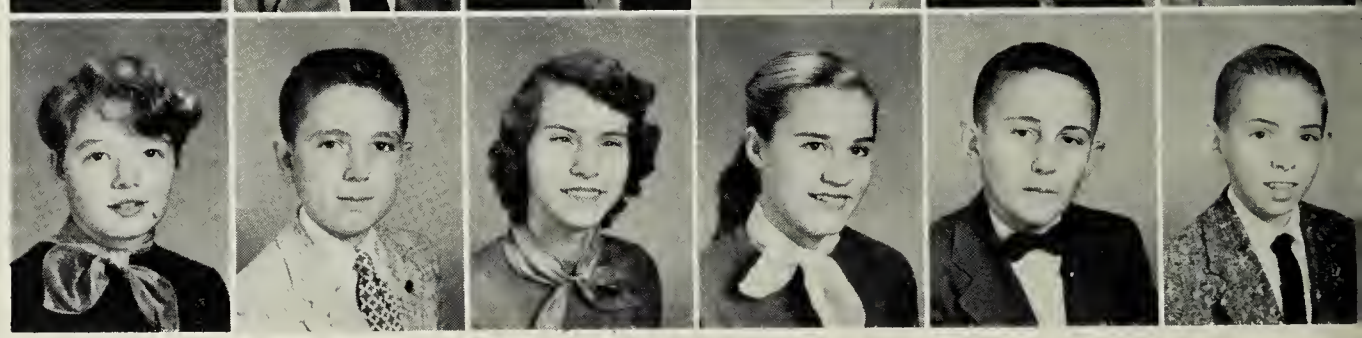

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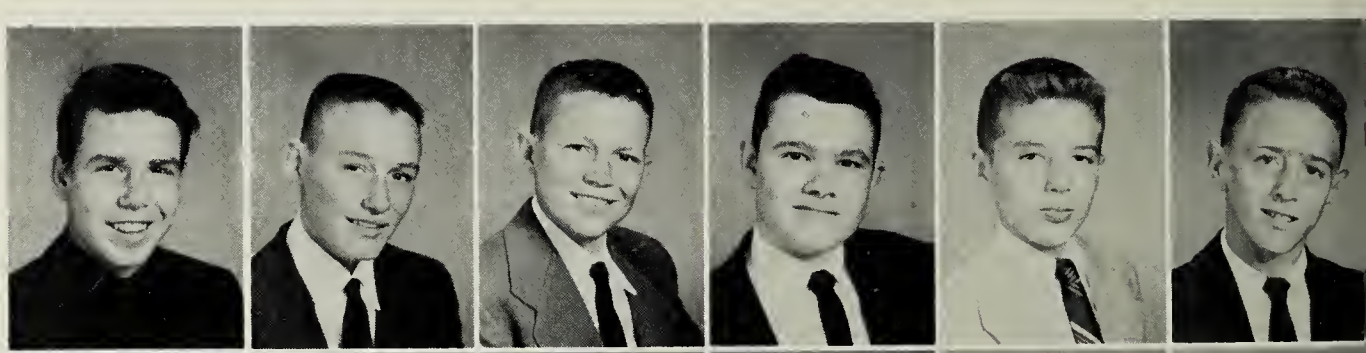

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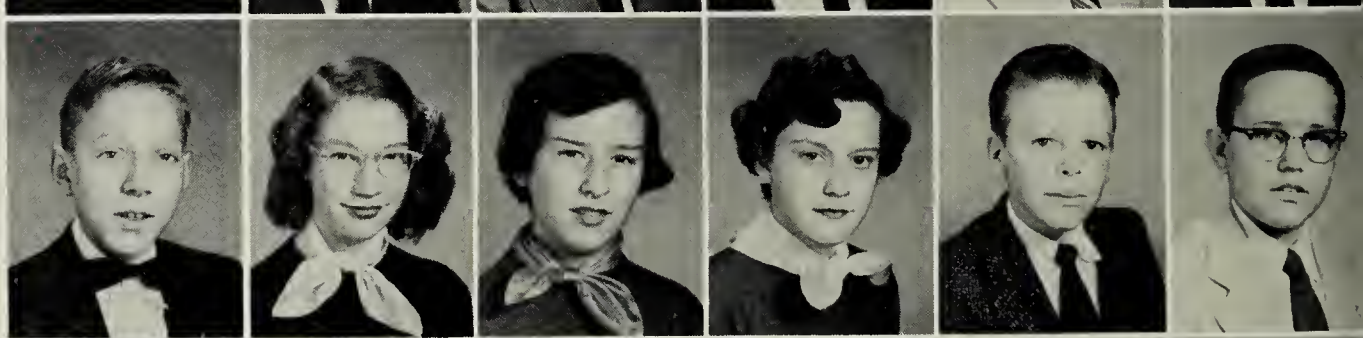

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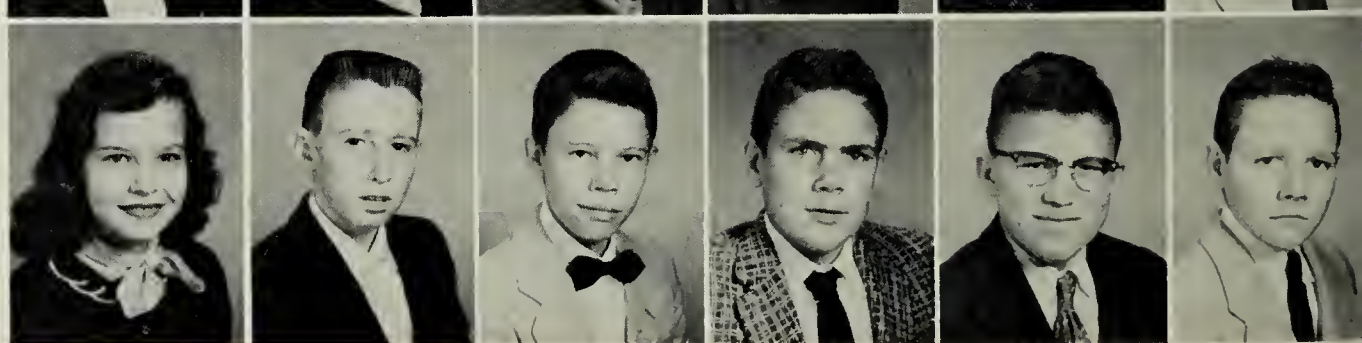

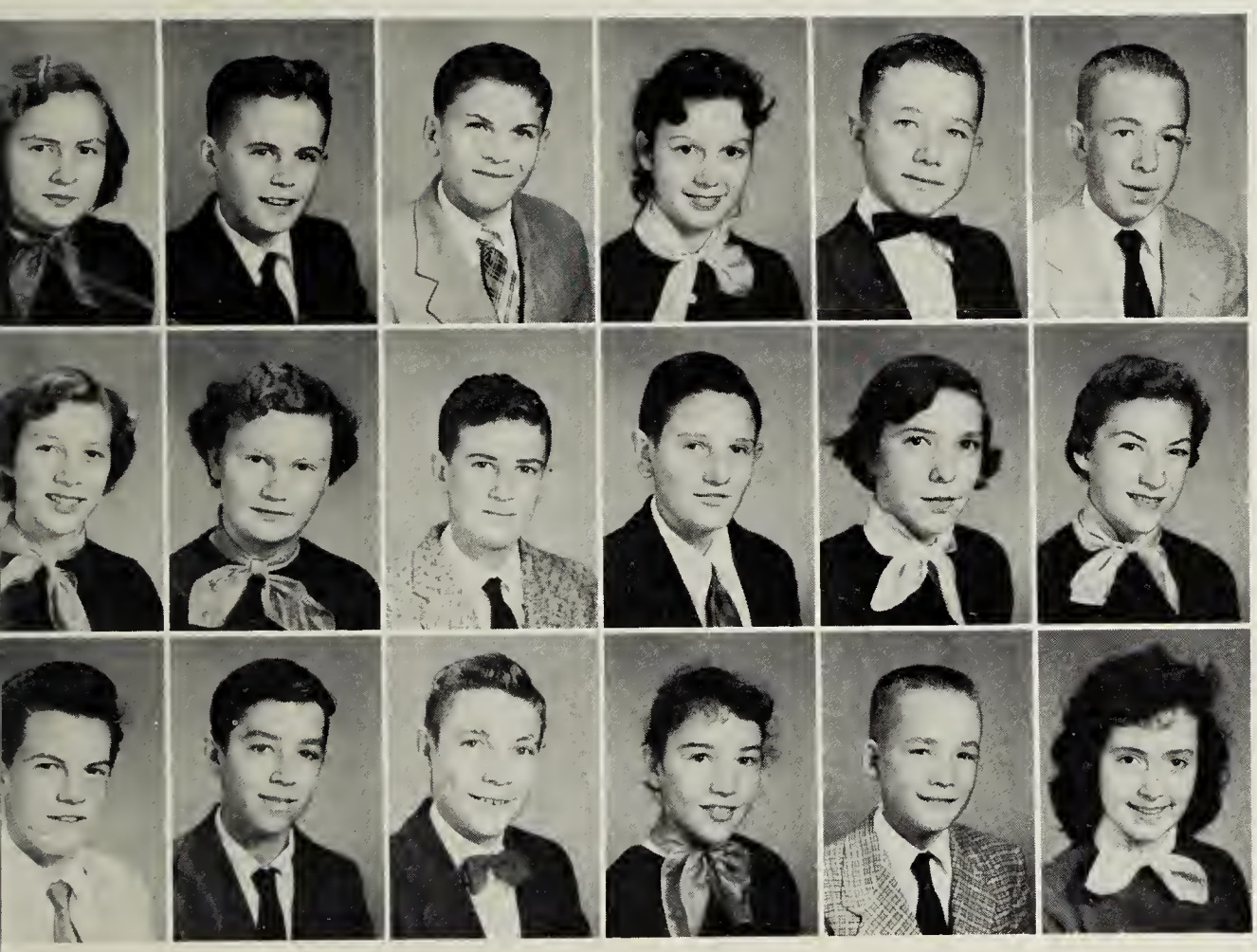

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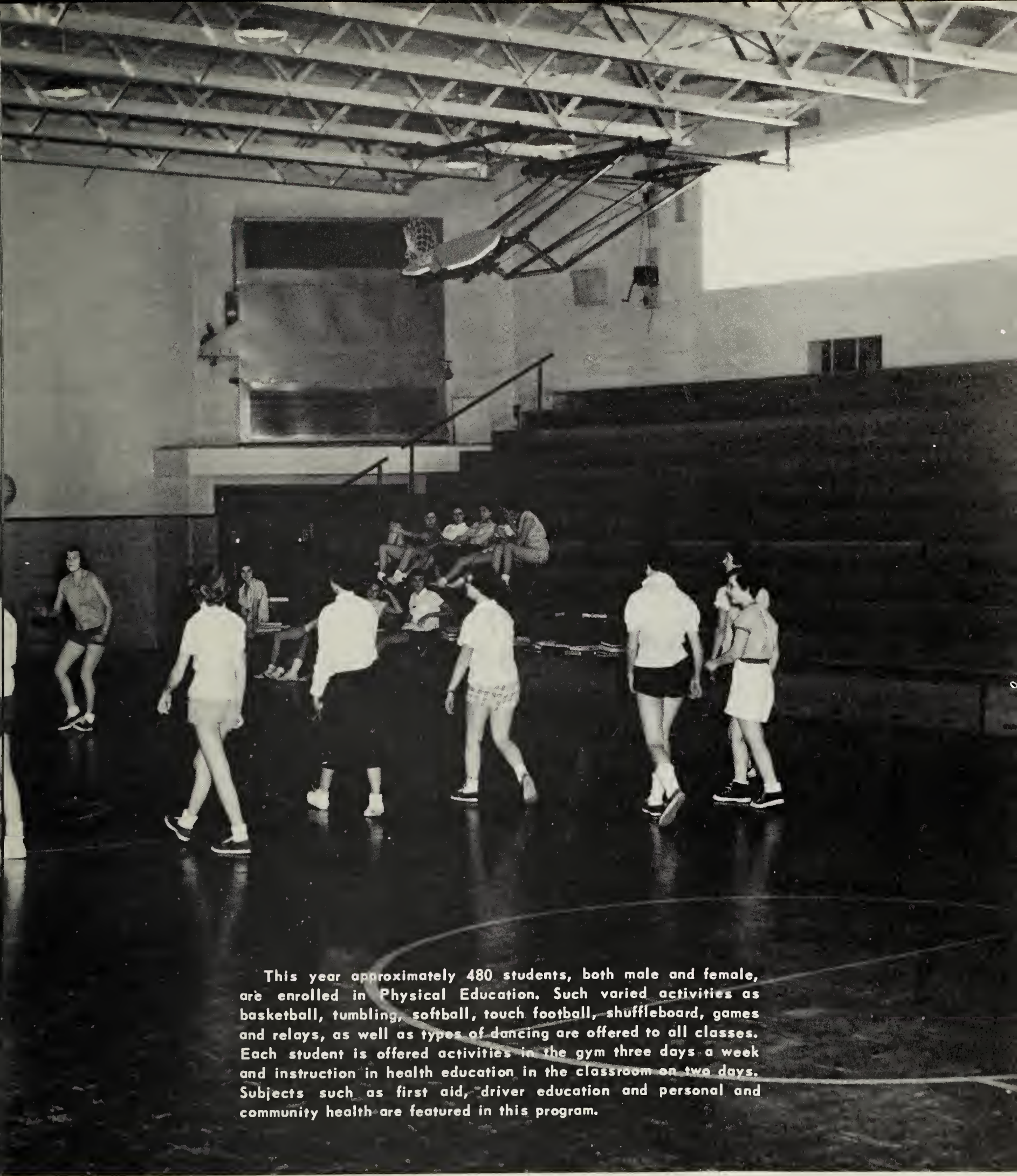

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Left ta Right: Cecil Andrews, Wayne Morris, J.C. Chapman, Bill Burnette, Co-Captain Clinton Hayes, Ca-Captain Babby Wilkersan, Marshall Shearin, Marshall Harris, Dannie Crawder, Salvador Thamassan, Eph Crews. 2nd raw: Rommie Lee Glasscack, Dallas Gregary, Jackie Smith, Clinton Gurley, Allen

Caaches: O.B. Crowder
Carlton Klocker
(and the Bluestone Rock)

Elliatt, Gerald Towery, Jae Weary, Bill Penningtan, Bobby Johnson, James Beasley. 3rd raw: Coach Carltan Klacker, Jackie Hite, Mgr., Sam Tarry, Irvin Matthews, Frankie Glasscack, Walter Rogers, Clintan Pennell, Mike Blanks, Gene Hackney, Wayne Wallace, Mgr., O.B. Crawder, Jr., Coach.

Co-Captains: Clintan Hayes
Bobby Wilkerson

FOOTBALL

Kenbridge -- 7
Barons -- 0

B-A-R-O-N-S
BARONS is our name.
Whether we win or whether we lose,
We're BARONS just the same.

Parkview -- 0
Barons -- 0

Brunswick -- 0
Barons -- 33

Chatham -- 0
Barons -- 60

Front row: Left to right; Ann Gill, Martha Yancey, Co-Captain, Nan Owen, Co-Captain, Shirley Andrews, Peggy Farrar, Back row; Nancy Walker, Pat Woodroof, Brenda Compton, JoAnne Wortman, Carol Spaulding.

FOOTBALL FUN

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Victoria -- 12
Barons -- 37

Well Coached
Hard Fought
Played with Spirit

Emporia -- 34
Barons -- 14

Parkview -- 13
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Randolph-Henry -- 12
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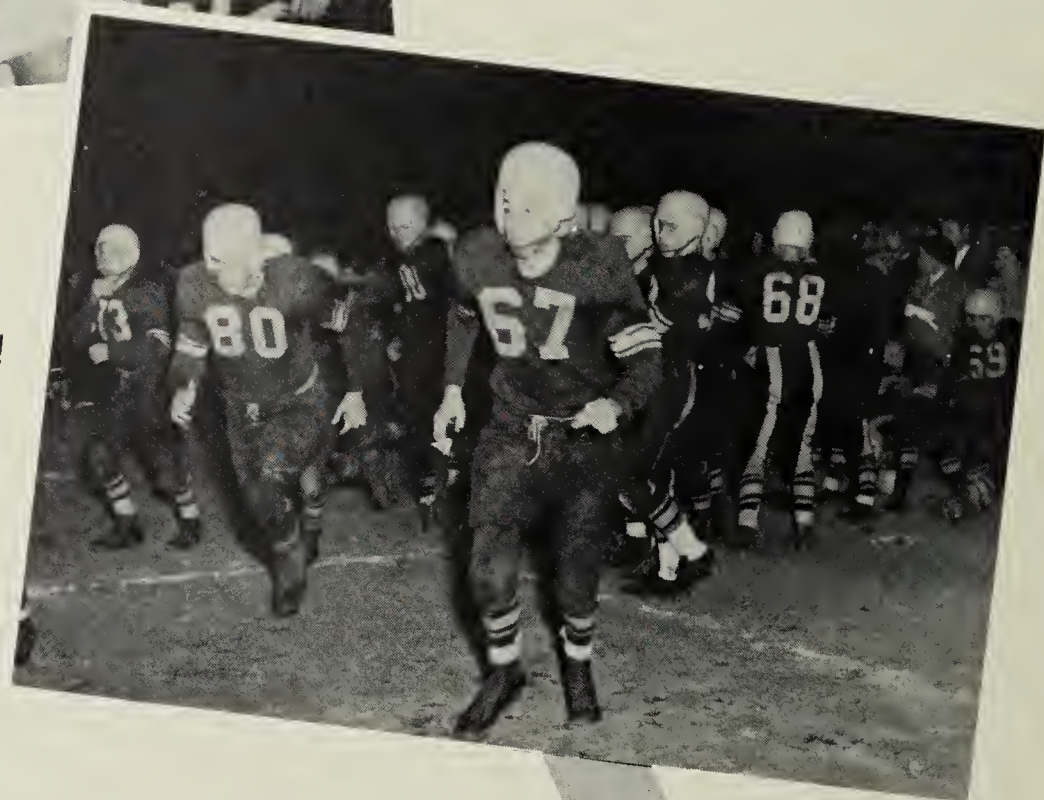

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First Team

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We won!

Go, Barons, Go!

Team

Junior Varsity

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BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

"Randolph Henry, Farmville, and Greenville County were among our victories!"

Kneeling: Gary Bevell, J. C. Chapman, Eph Crews, Co-Captain, Grandon Averette, Co-Captain, Donnie Crowder. Standing: Coach O. B. Crowder, Wayne Morris, Ernest Carter, Bobby Wilkerson, Clinton Hayes, James Allen Thompson, Salvador Thomasson, Emory Waldrep, Bill Cantrell, Jackie Hite, Louis Dunn, Marshall Shearin, Manager.

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BOYS' JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

"We beat Park View 26-25!!"

Kneeling: Bobby Johnson, Donnie Crowder, Co-Captain, Jackie Hite, Co-Captain, Nelson Blankehship.
Standing: Carl Klocker, Coach; Odell Church, Bill Pennington, Lewis Dunn, Andy Tucker, Ernest Carter, Bobby Wilkerson, March Hutcheson, Wendell Hite, Gene Chandler, Frankie Glasscock, Lee Powell, Manager.

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GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

"We fought hard, showing definite improvement as the season went on."

Sitting: Ann Shirley Johnson, JoAnn Gorner, Elsie Algood, Co-Coptain; Borbora Carter, Co-Coptain; Beezy Morris, Corol Spaulding. Standing: Miss Mary Hoskins, Cooch, Eleanor Lowry, Pat Woodroof, Ellen Lipsitz, Elizabeth Fitz, Ruth Sorrell, Sondro Nunn, Carol Shimpock, Violet Coleman, Louise Clork, Lelio Ann Roberts, Mgr., Euolene Sizemore, Mgr.

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The Bluestone lettermen, after football season, will join with lettermen of other sports to further the interest of athletics at Bluestone High School.

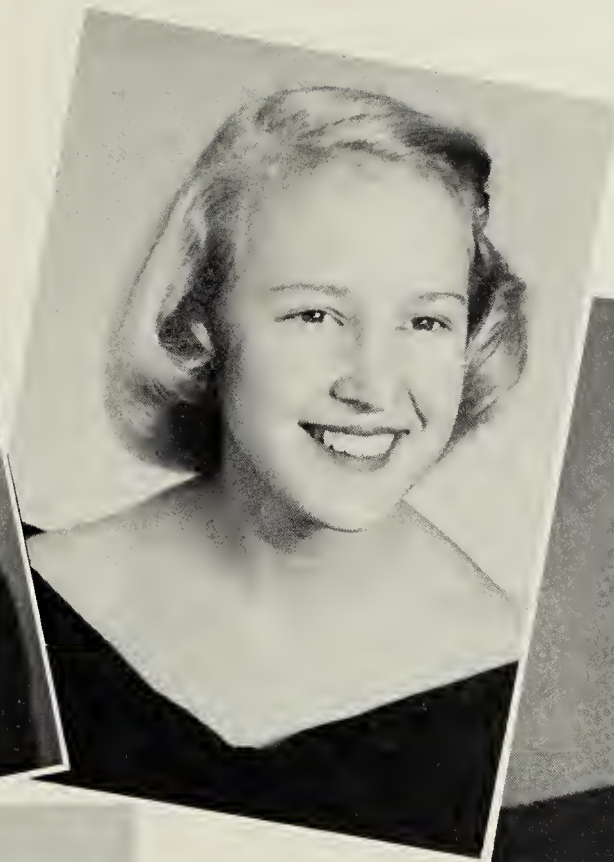
First row; Left to right: Shirley Andrews, Bobby Wilkerson, Nan Owen, Martha Yancey, Clinton Hayes, Ann Gill. Second row: Peggy Farrar, Eph Crews, Jo Ann Wortman, Wayne Morris, Nancy Walker, J. C. Chapman. Third row: Marshall Shearin, Marshall Harris, Carol Spaulding, Donnie Crowder, Salvador Thomasson, Pat Woodroof. Fourth row: Frankie Glasscock, Rommie Lee Glasscock, Gordon Yancey, Bill Burnett, Cecil Andrews, Dallas Gregory. Fifth row: Bobby Johnson, Bill Pennington, James Beasley, Martin Lindholm, Jackie Smith, Jackie Hite. Sixth row: Allan Elliott, Joe Weary, Gene Hackney, Wayne Wallace.

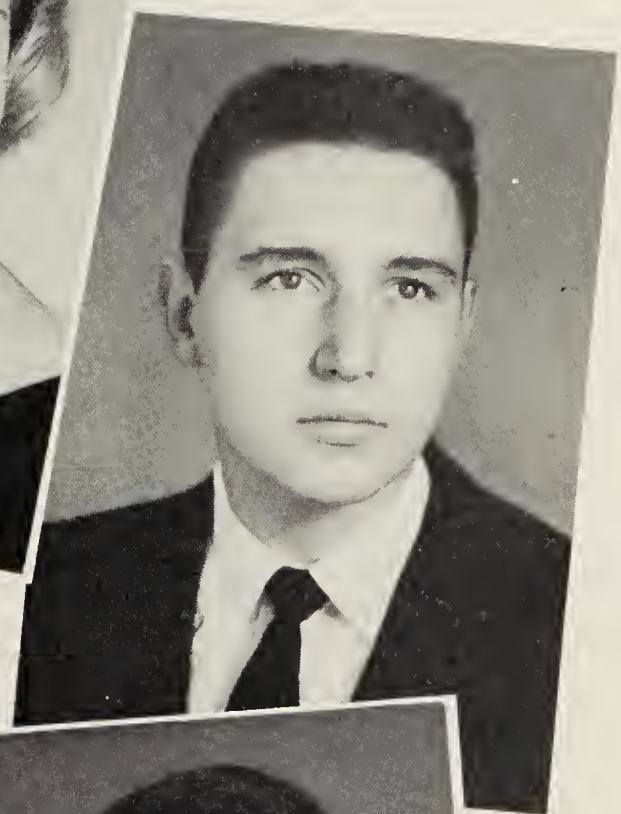
ACTIVITIES

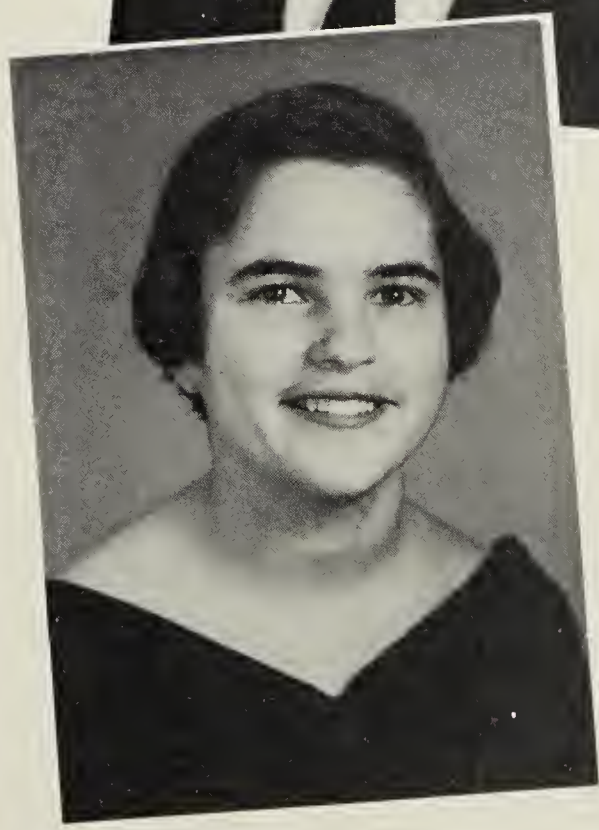
Organizations of different types were formed so that all of the student body's interest would be included in one or more special extra curricular activities. These clubs meet during one class period every Monday and Thursday.

GOLDEN LINK STAFF

The Golden Link was chosen as the name for our Bluestone Yearbook because each year a link of Gold, one of our school colors, shall chain together wonderful memories of Bluestone High. This, the first Golden Link staff, endeavored to capture in pictures and story the first year at Bluestone.







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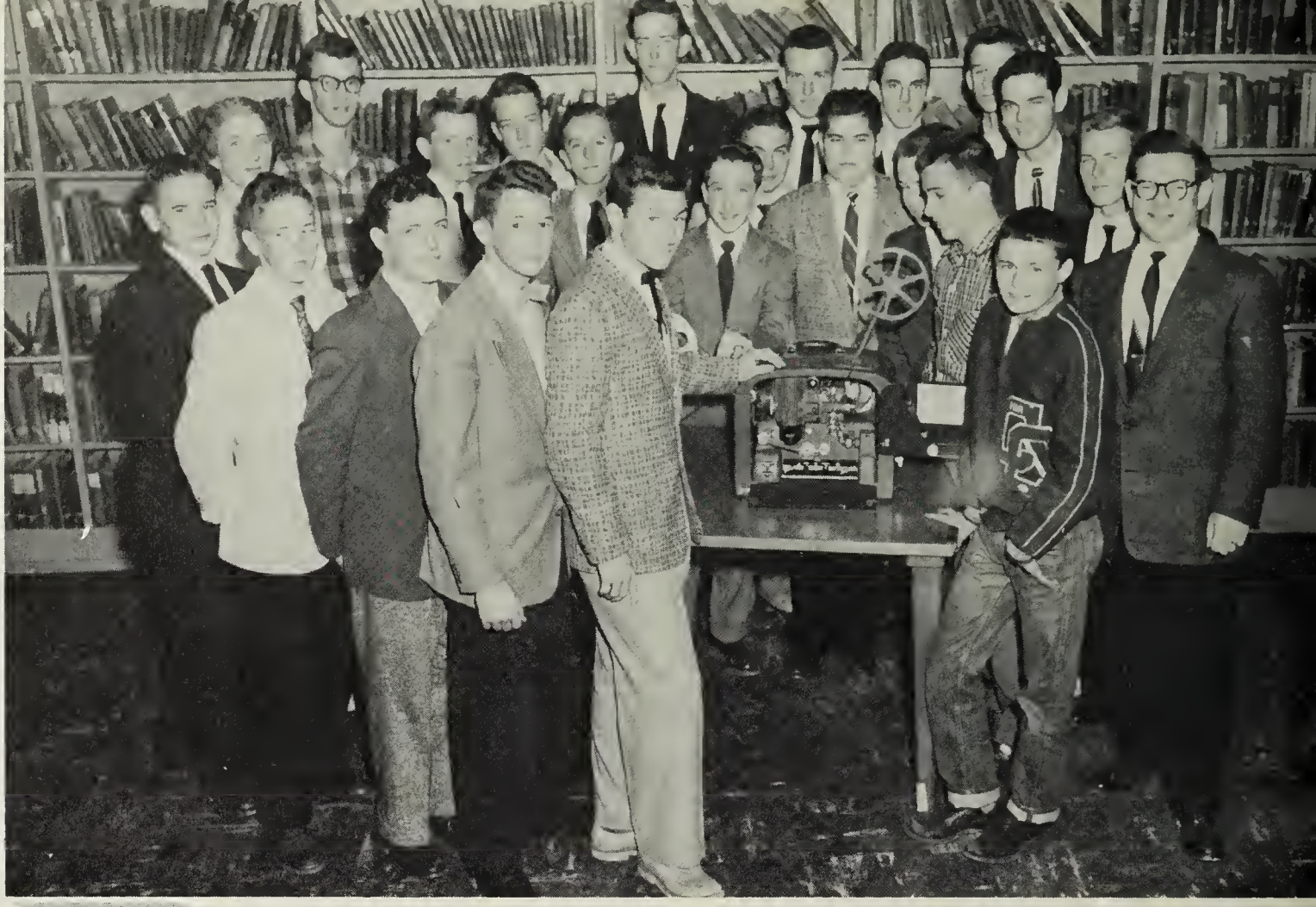

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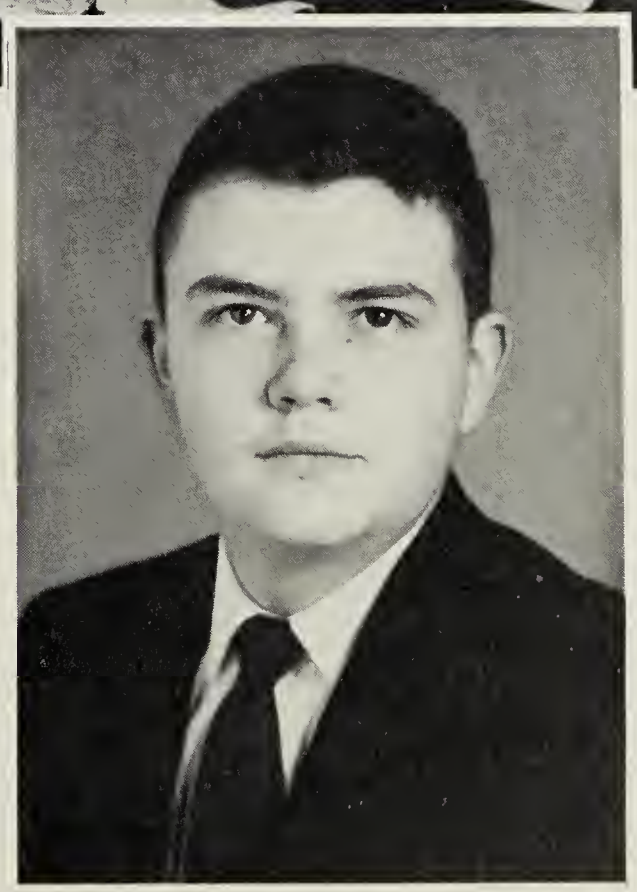

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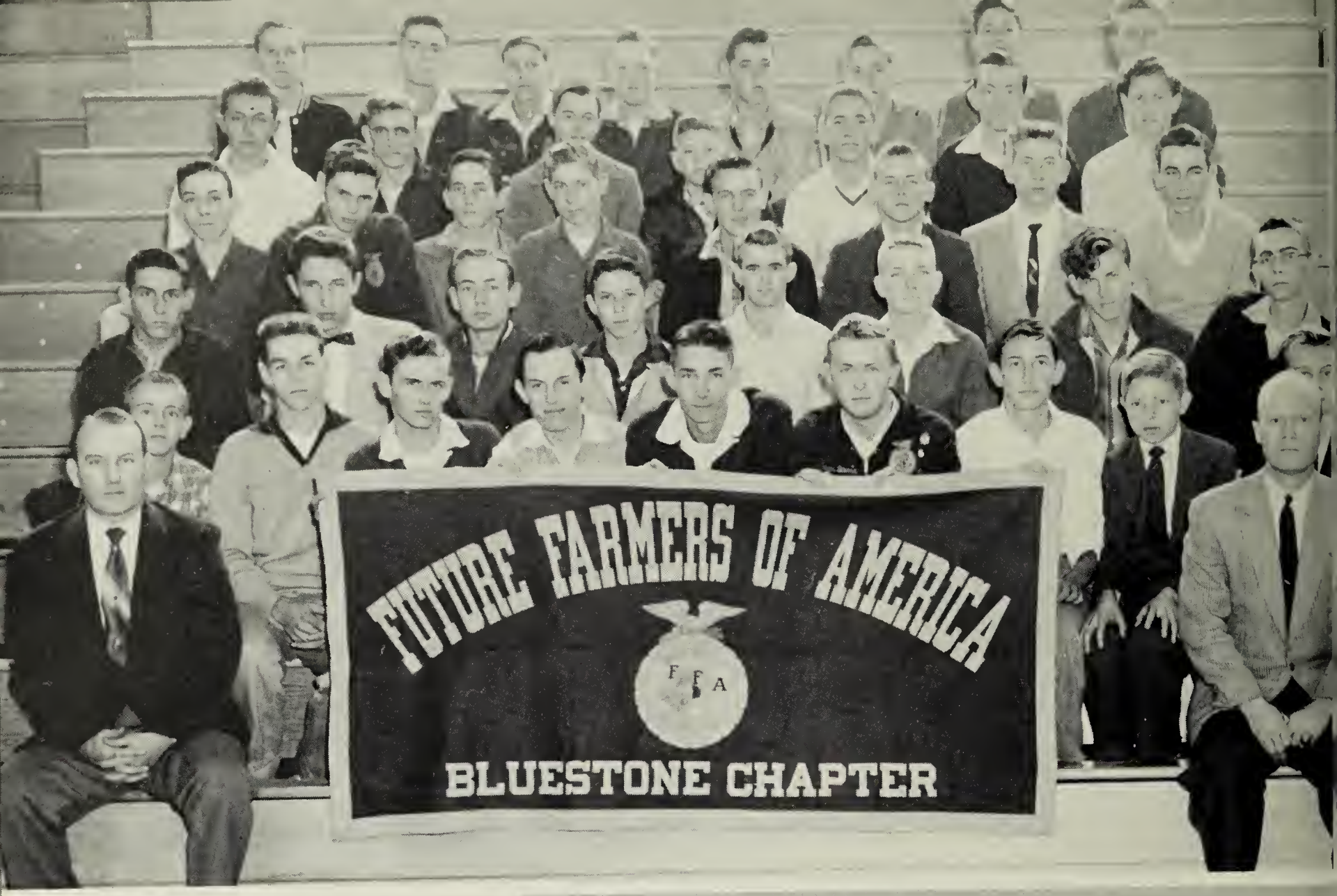

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BETA CLUB

The Beta Club, sponsored by Mrs. Laura Bragg, is the honor club of Bluestone High. Students eligible for membership must have a B average and live up to certain standards of leadership and character. The club has approximately seventy-five members with a small group to be inducted after mid-term. These are not pictured. Sixteen members will attend the State Beta Convention in Richmond . . . . . one of the most exciting events in the Beta year.

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FEATURES

"Specialties" have added to the excitement of our first year at Bluestone. Traditional festivities have been born this year and the spirit of dances and parties have joined hand in hand with studies.

FOOTBALL

Martha Yancey, Queen

COURT
Peggy Farrar
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Carol Spaulding
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A rose and two thorns

FESTIVAL

Flowers for her Majesty.

A dance with the Queen.

Everybody danced!

May Day

KING AND QUEEN

Queen . . . . . Nan Owen

King. . . . . Bobby Wilkerson

Court

MAID OF HONOR AND ESCORT

Maid of Honor . . . . . Martha Yancey

Escort. . . . . .Marshall Shearin

May Day

Left to right, seated: Patricia Nunn, JoAnn Wortman, Carol Spaulding, Martha Hart, Ann Spaulding, Lula Jean Dortch, Shirley Andrews, Betty Jane Allgood, Peggy Farrar; Standing: Gene Hackney, James Beasley, Harrison Little, Wayne Morris, Donnie Crowder, J.C. Chapman, Odie Morris, Eph Crews, Bill Burnett.

Court

Left to right, seated: Ann Gill, Dorothy Kates, Nancy Phillips, Jewell Bevell, Nancy E. Walker, Charlotte Wyne, Mary Dorcas Fitz, Sandra Nunn, Ann Shirley Johnson; Standing: Laxton Wilson, Joe Weary, Martin Lindholm, Bobby Johnson, Marshall Harris, Tommy Rutledge, Gary Bevell, Julian Wood, and Clinton Hayes.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"Seventeen"

directed by

Mr. Harvey E. Jeffreys

Mr. Jeffreys observes construction of flats as well as directing the actors and actresses of Bluestone.

CAST

William Sylvanus Baxter . Tommy Rutledge
Mr. Baxter . . . . . Bobby Wilkerson
Joe Bullitt . . . . . Bill Goode
Genesis . . . . . Marshall Shearin
Johnnie Watson. . . . . Gene Hackney
George Crooper. . . . . Salvador Thomasson
Bobby Morris
Mr. Parcher . . . . . A. B. Moore

Wallie Banks . . . . . Julian Wood
Jane Baxter . . . . . Peggy Farrar
Lola Pratt. . . . . Florence Lee Daniel
May Parcher . . . . . Shirley Andrews
Ethel Boke . . . . . Cecile Hoyle
Mary Brooks . . . . . Jerry Carter
Mrs. Baxter . . . . . Barbara Hash

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Mrs. Ragsdale serves refreshments.

"The Paul Jones"

Enough for all.

MUSIC IN

The Band was organized by the band director, Mr. G.B. Harris, in September and gave its first concert in the latter part of that same month. The 16th of December they played several Christmas selections; that same night they appeared in a Christmas parade.

After the holiday work was begun preparing for festival time along with several popular numbers whose introduction resulted in much enthusiam.

Other activities will be playing for concerts, assemblies, and public performances. During the spring the band will start drilling on marching formation in preparation for the coming football season.

THE AIR

After individual auditions the Choral Club, under the direction of Mr. G.B. Harris, was organized in October. There was such a big turn out the number had to be limited. Approximately ninety were invited to join. The chorus started the "You Sing" as a good singing repetoire. They sang for the first time before the P. T. A. After this, the chorus started practicing for the Christmas program.

When we returned to school, the chorus began to practice immediately on selections of graded choral music for the festival in Farmville. Following the festival we will start rehearsing numbers for H. M. S. Pinafore at Gilbert and Sullivan Operetta. The entire chorus will work with the dramatic department in preparation for this, their crowning performance.

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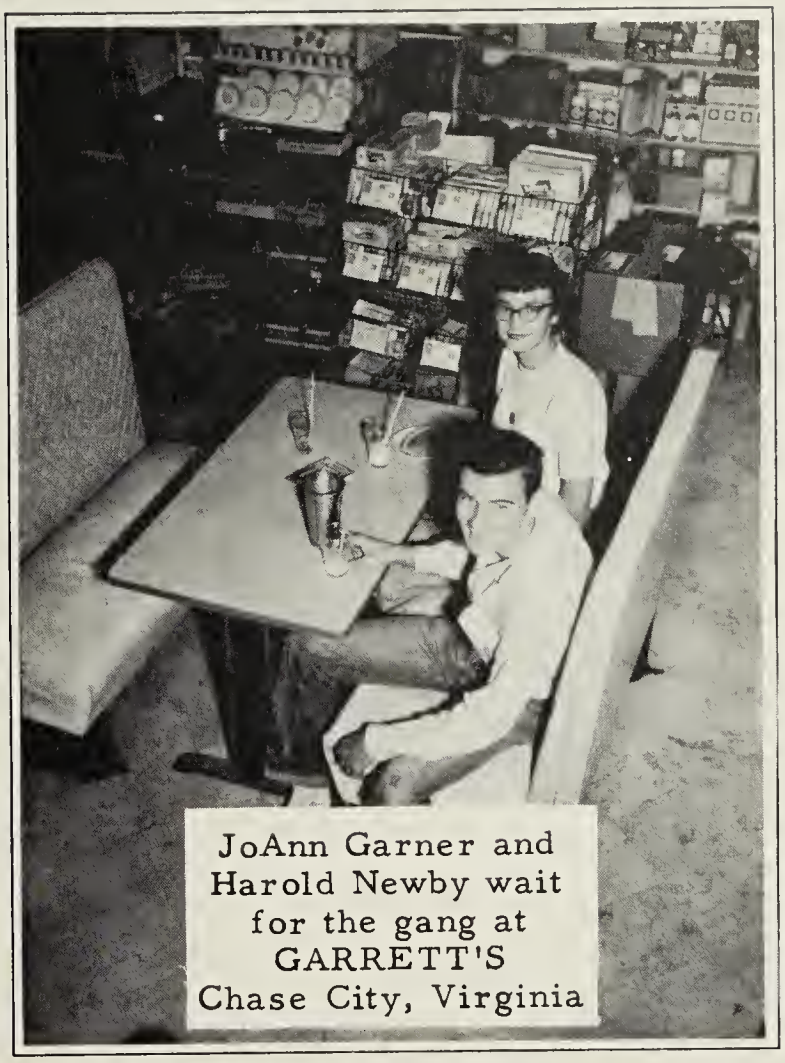
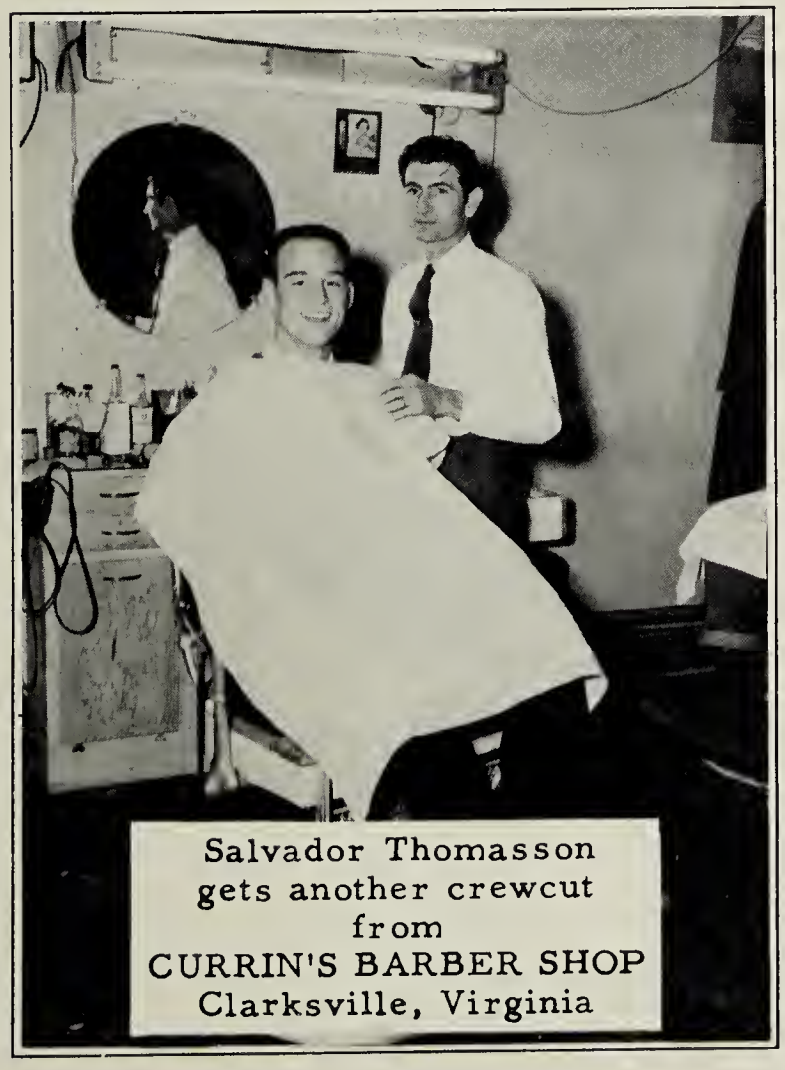


JoAnn Garner and Harold Newby wait for the gang at GARRETT'S Chase City, Virginia



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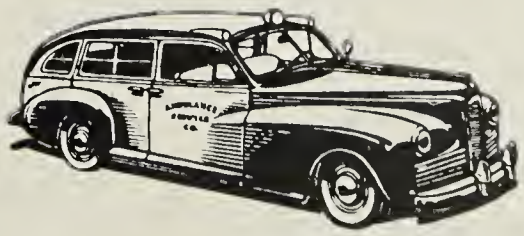

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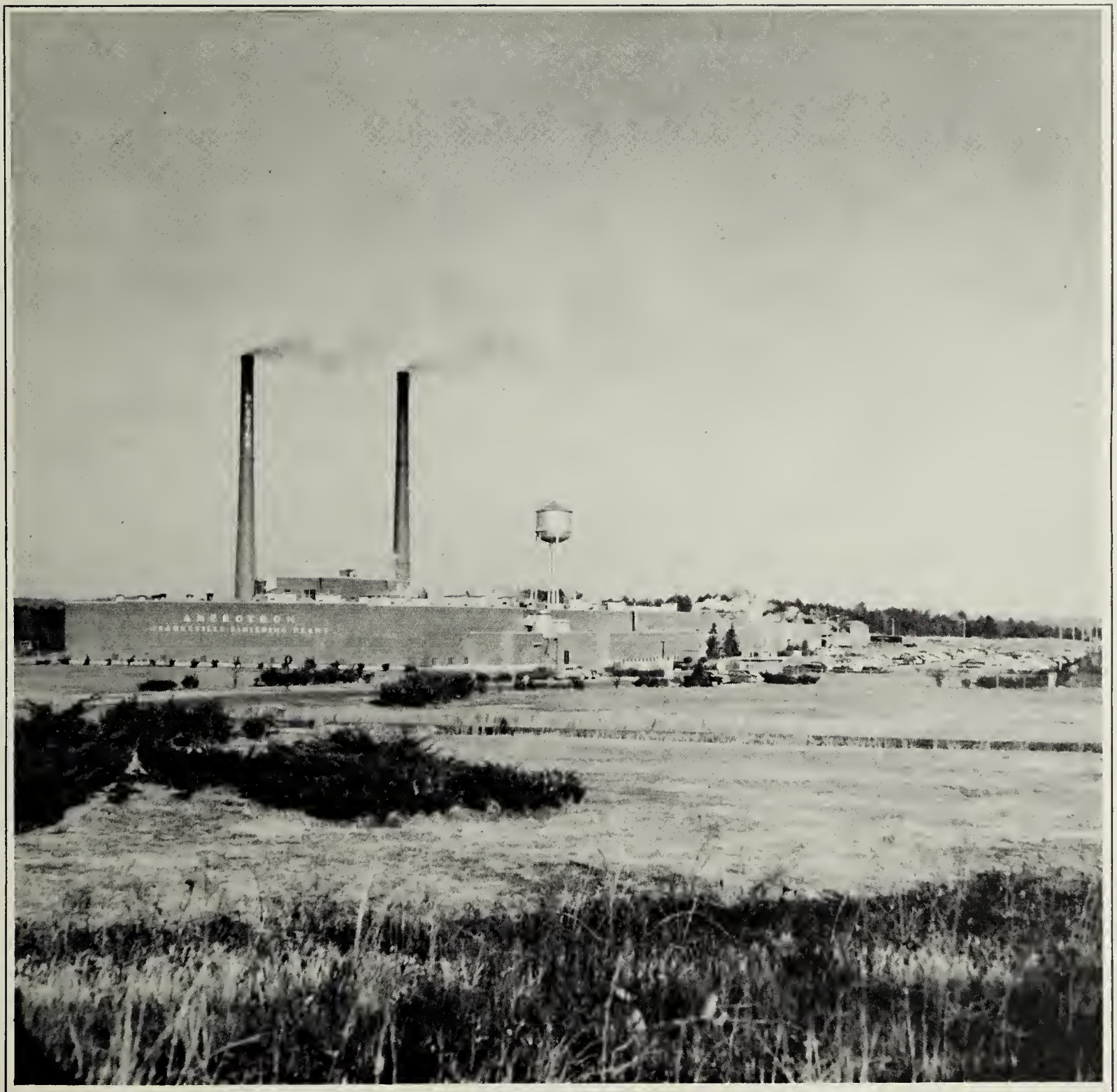

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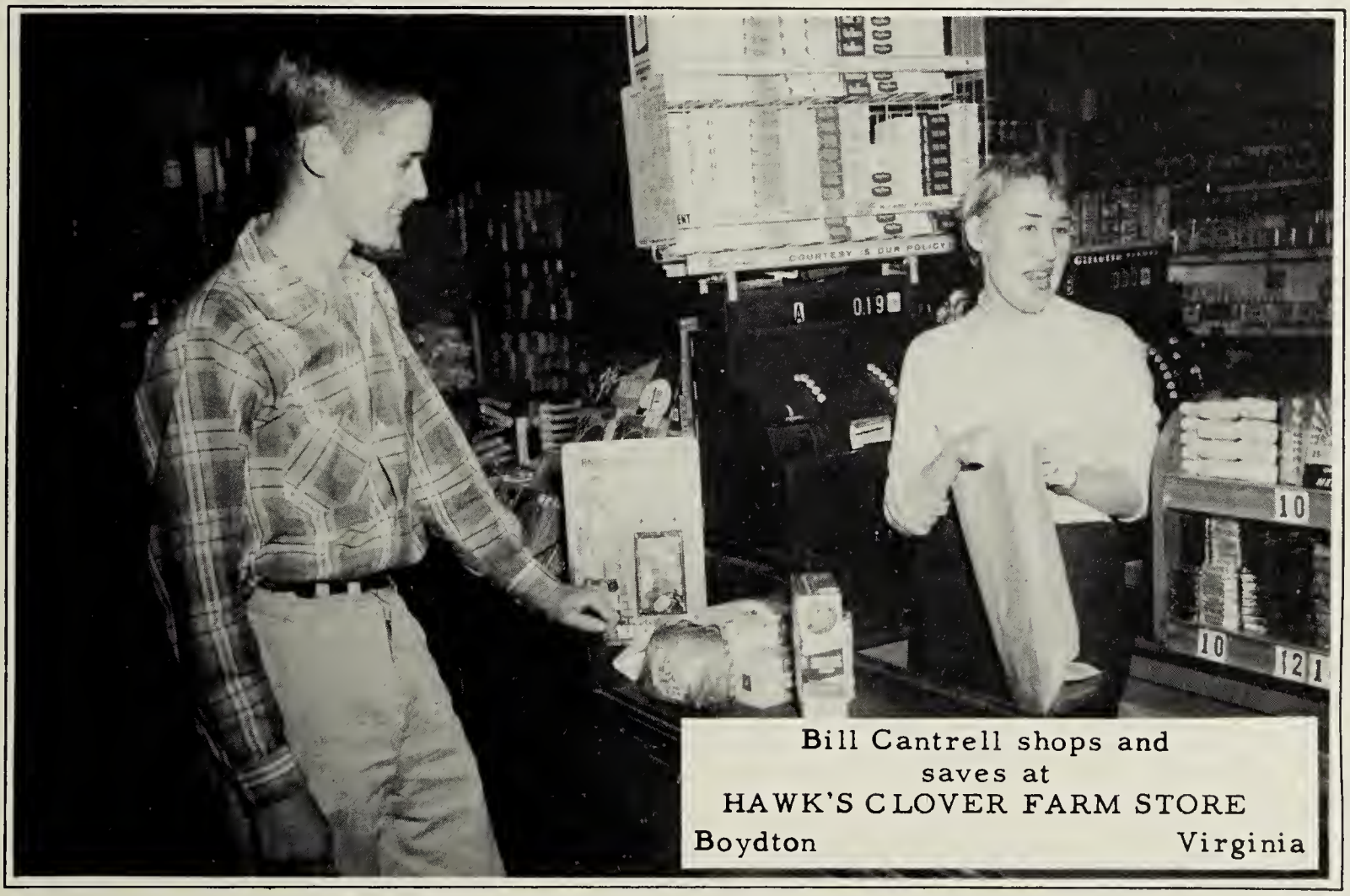

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★ NAN OWEN

★ TOMMY RUTLEDGE

★ SHIRLEY ANDREWS

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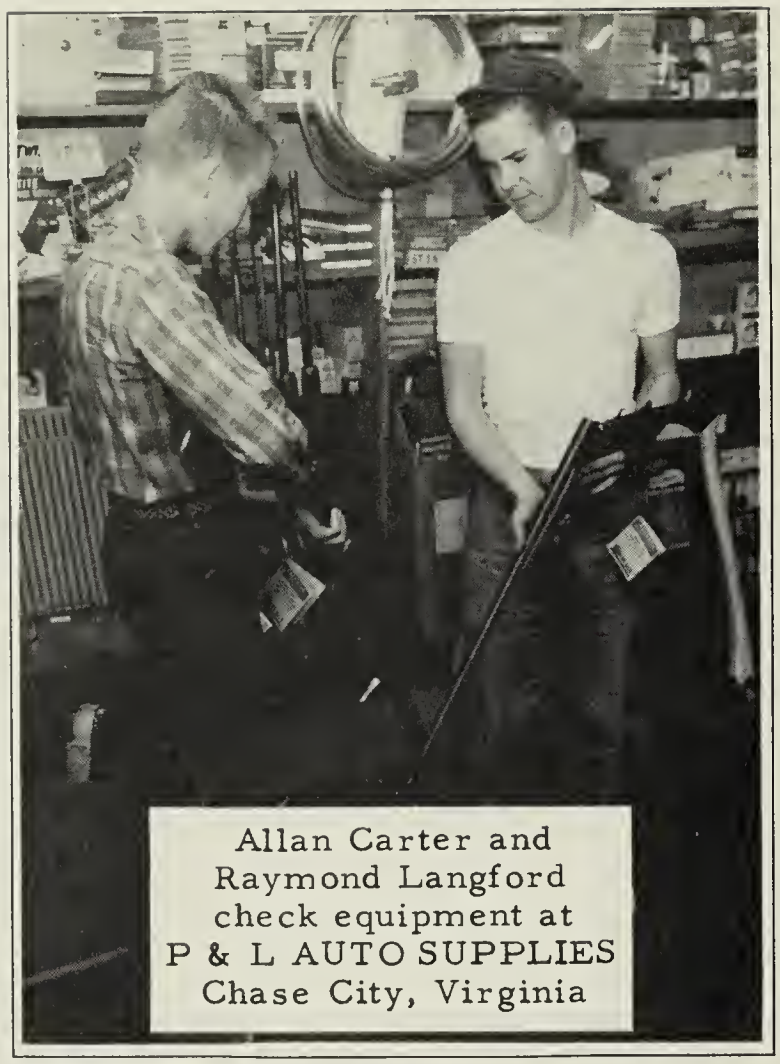

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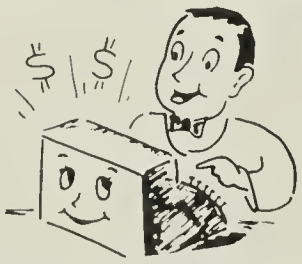

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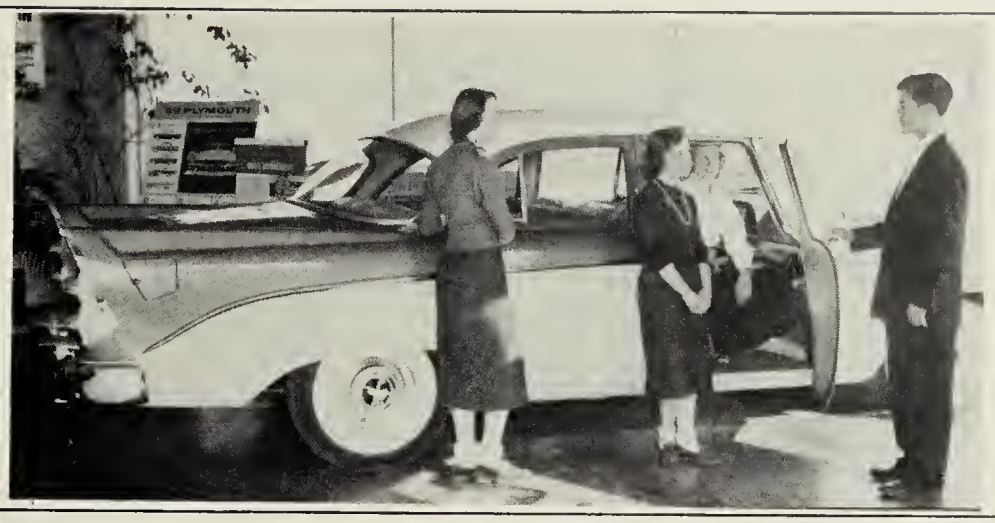

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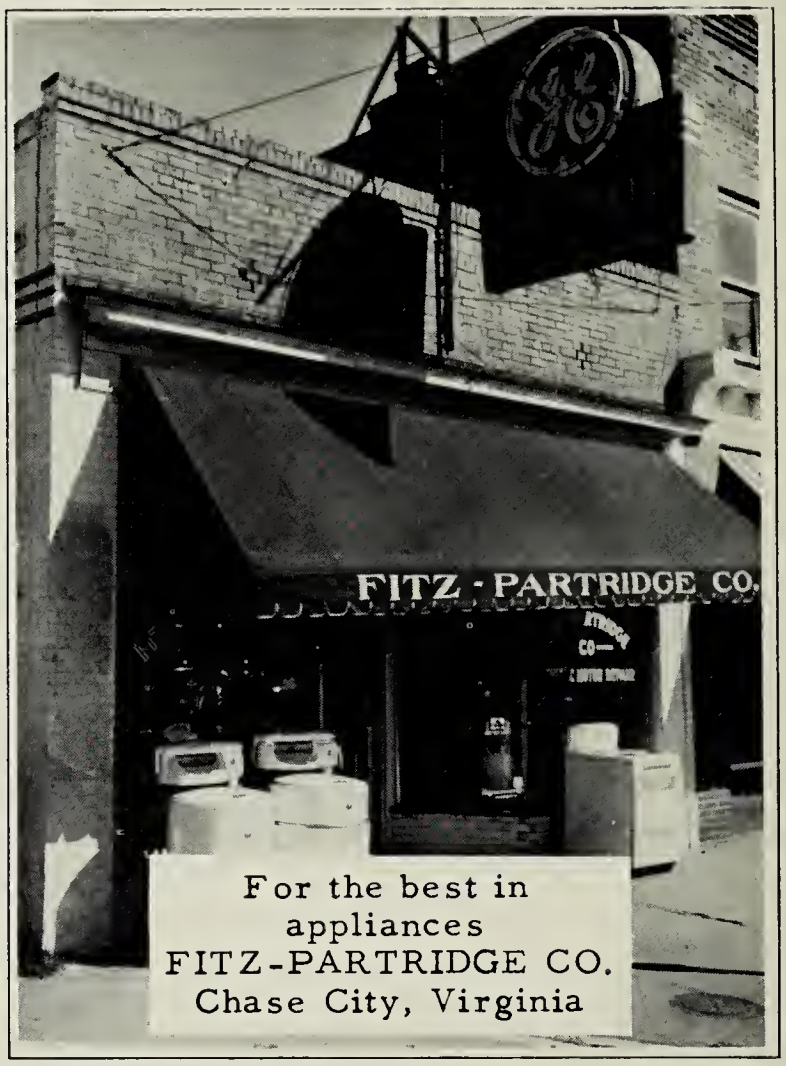

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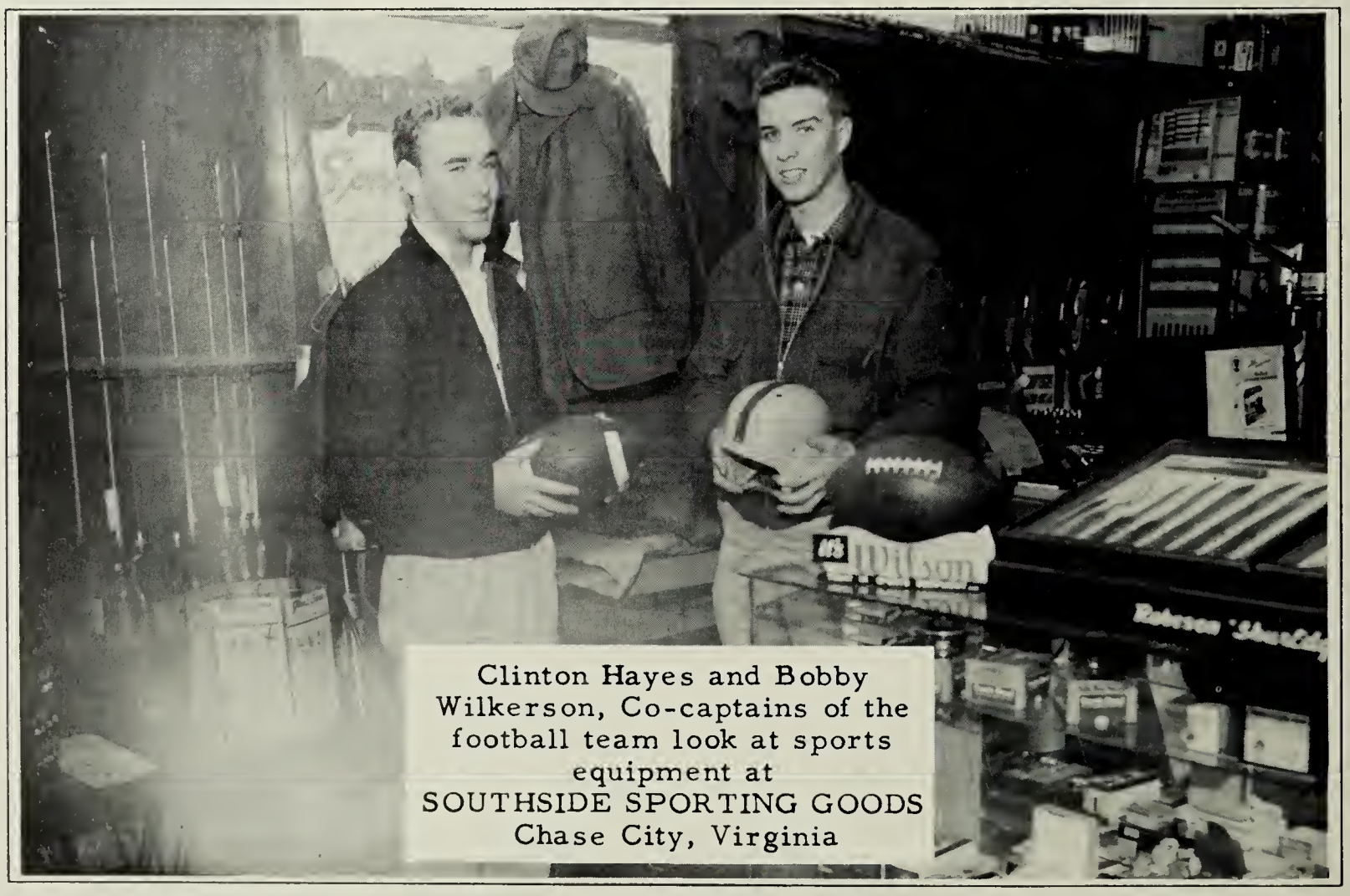

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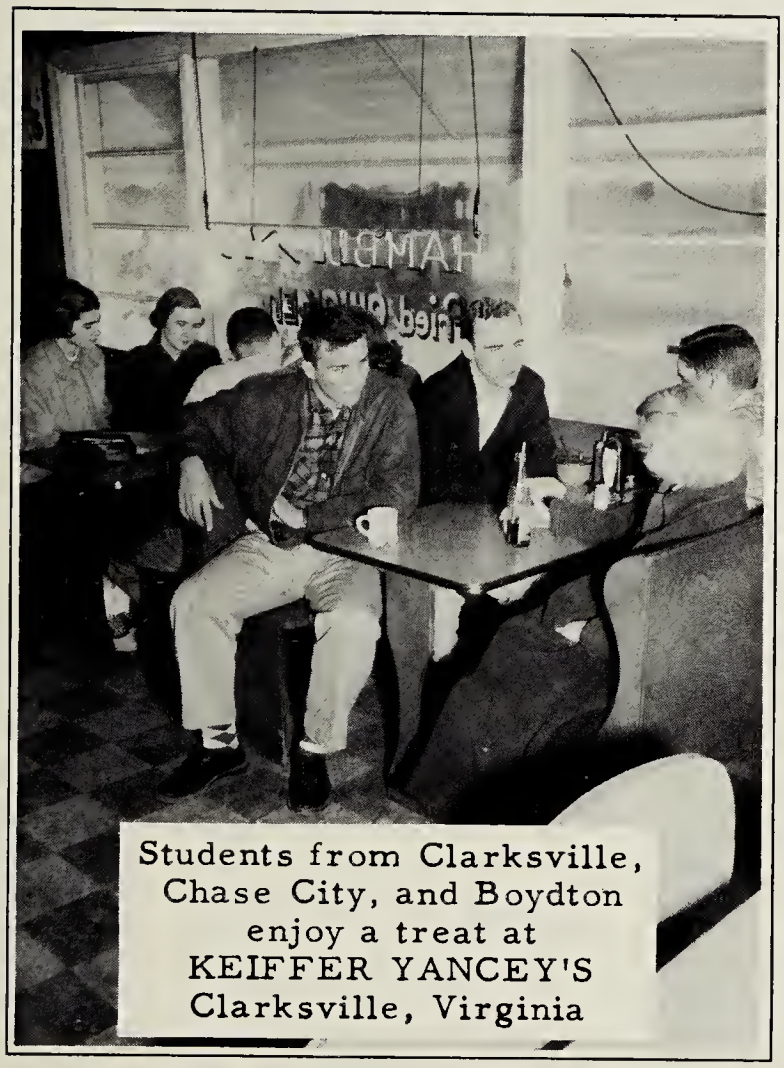

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Chase City, and Boydton
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Those who eat at
HUGH'S BAR-B-Q
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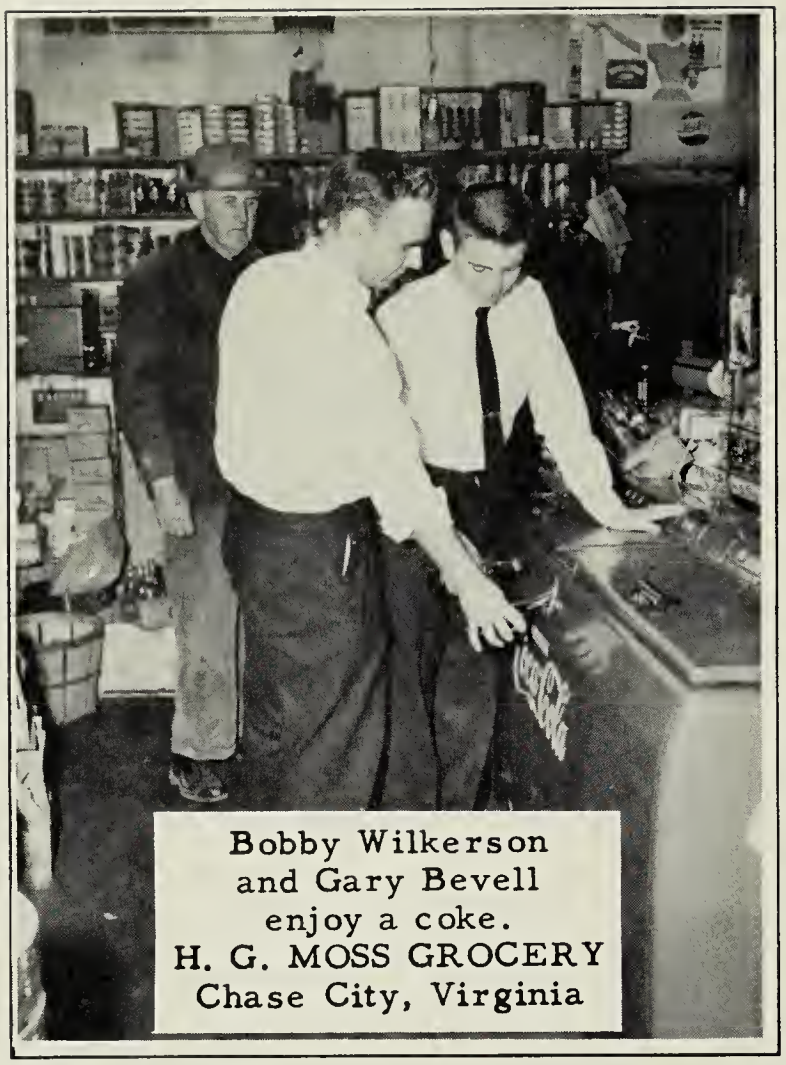

Bobby Wilkerson
and Gary Bevell
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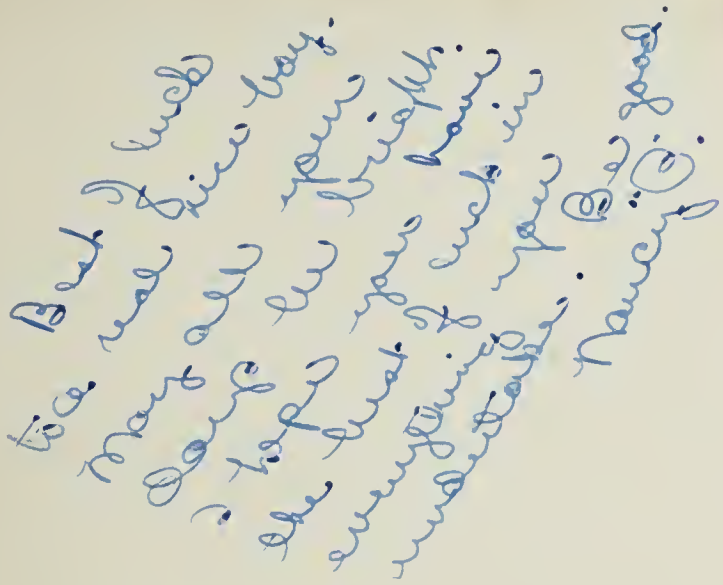

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Gratefully,

Florence Lee Hamiel
Ann Y. Gill

AUTOGRAPHS

It has been fun having
you as a classmate this
year. I will always
remember English class.
Good luck always.
Lulu Jean

It has been
lots of fun being
in school with
you this year and
I'll miss you sept
year when you go away.
Work hard on your trumpet
and get 3rd chair in the
band at least.
A friend,
Joe

Is a very nice
boy, I wish the
best of everything
with happiness.
A friend,
Rachel Rager

Eddie —
This has been quite a year,
has it not? I'm sorry about
you and S.A.B. breaking up. But are
you back together again now ?? Never
forget all the Record Hops, dances, and
everything that has gone on this year.
Best of luck to you in the future.
Best Wishes
Bill Goode

Eddie,
Remember these hard
Weeks spent because I have been
great friends with you these
two months. I forget you
there a lot of success in
what ever path you
choose.
A friend
Matthew Yancey

Eddie, may the
best come to you
always. Always
remember that side
we took that
afternoon - don't forget
the dog. Pat. Dunn

Eddie,
Don't forget the campaign
picnics and the side we
took - also a certain sight we
saw. Best of luck to
you this old-around
who deserves the
Betty Jo

Hi Eddie,

I have enjoyed going to school with you and having you as a friend very much. Remember the nite of the football game at Randolph - Henry and the nite the baby - sat at Babing house. I still believe the baby sitter was the biggest bribery. I also still want my rubber back!!

I hope you have a very bright and successful future. May God be with you and help you in everything that you attempt to do. You are a very nice and deserving boy although you are kinda hard headed. You never have paid any attention to anything I told you to do especially when I was to slow down on to go home when you were walking then fly model airplanes

Best of luck always,
Love ya!
Eddie

LOTS OF LUCK
BOBBY
WAGSTAFF

Eddie,
It has been a grand school year. Thanks for all the rides. Good luck to you in all you do, and please come and see me next year.
Benny

all the best!
Walter Lotspeich
Best of luck in the future
your friend
Benny

Eddie,
Remember our trip to Gettysburg
Good luck in the future
Sincerely yours
Chuck

Eddie,
Have a good summer and
Good luck to you
Bill

Eddie,
Have a good summer
Bill

P.S. Good luck to you in all your endeavors

Eddie,
Happy Birthday! Do you feel any older?
Best of luck to you.
I have enjoyed double-dating with you this year!
Best wishes,
Shirley

Hi "Ed",

Wow! What years! Haven't we been mixed up. So is growing up... Church picnics, socials, concerts, swimming... Happiness and sadness! It's all been wonderful. How 'bout those talking "sprees" you, Joe, Jim and I had. Oh! Yea! don't too. I have had some really nice times with you. You are a wonderful person and I hope everything will turn out the right way for you in the future. You deserve the best. Luck with your trumpet and college too.

With good wishes!

Love!

Joyce

Dear Eddie,

Our class has really had many good times during the past 10 or 11 years. I've loved every minute of it — wish we weren't graduating next year.

I've enjoyed working in church with you and your family. Choir has especially been fun.

I've enjoyed double-dating with you this year. Are you even going to make up your mind? Just who is your "dream girl" anyway - I wonder -

Last year was really a number jumbled year, wasn't it? I had fun all the time - I'll miss everybody when we all go off to school - just think, we'll probably never see a lot of these "kids" again.

Just 8 more days and we are through with high school - forever - Boo Hoo —

See you around —

Jo Ann